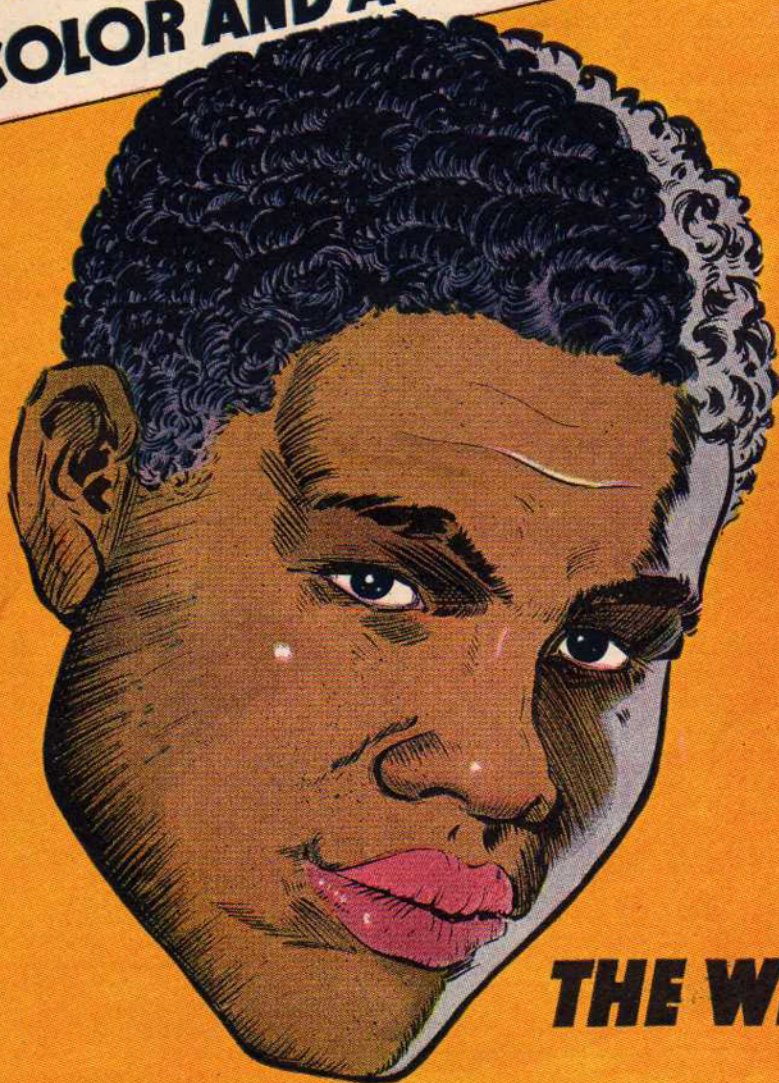


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Keeping up with exciting events that make the country talk, PICTURE NEWS IN COLOR AND ACTION gives you, in this issue, expert opinions on the coming battle for the world's heavyweight championship between Joe Louis and Billy Conn. PICTURE NEWS picks Joe to win, not only because he is a bomber in the ring. This magazine admires Joe as a fighting, patriotic American who is a living lesson to the ignorant who proclaim that color dooms races to lasting inferiority.

Remember, there is always something to think about behind the illustrated features in PICTURE NEWS.

Study, for instance, the picture story in this issue entitled "A Round Trip to Mars." It will show you that Buck Rogers, who has been flying among the planets for some time, may have been far ahead of an army of scientific gentlemen who shook their heads about what he was doing. Now that the U. S. Signal Corps has bounced radio waves off the Moon and back to Earth, Buck Rogers doesn't seem so fantastic. Flying a space ship to the Moon or to Mars is no longer a crackpot idea.

A famous scientist who helped to make the radar contact with the Moon admits this to PICTURE NEWS. Every bright boy knows we now have rockets that do not need the air for sustenance. We have atomic energy to drive a rocket ship through space. And now, as a result of contacting the Moon, we know that there will be radar to guide a space ship to its goal and back again.

From time to time you will find more in PICTURE NEWS about this new world of diminishing distances. Young people are thinking about it, and the wonders they will live to see. Only recently a young inventor registered the name "ATOMobile" with the U. S. Patent Office for protection against the day when atomic power may replace gasoline. He was using his head.

Previously announced feature from Washington by Col. Bob Allen has been held up for later issue.

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CONTEST WINNERS IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

Watch for the July issue of PICTURE NEWS IN COLOR AND ACTION for the names of the winners of \$1,000 in cash prizes for the most interesting life experiences written by readers of this magazine.

Hundreds of contestants from all parts of the country have entered this competition and their stories have fascinated the judges.

The stories of the top winners will appear in illustrations in color and action in this magazine beginning with the August issue.

Make it a habit every month to read PICTURE NEWS IN COLOR AND ACTION.

IN THIS ISSUE

Why Joe Louis Will Win—Experts size up both contestants of the world's championship fight.

Faithful Dog Fights off Desert Animals to Save Life of Child who Wandered From Home.

A Round Trip to Mars—The real meaning behind radar's contact with the Moon.

The Story of E. B. Marks—From Gay Nineties song pluggie to Music Publishing Millionaire.

The Mysterious Aga Khan—The man who collects his salary by being weighed in diamonds!

Beauty on the Beach—What the girls should know before they acquire that seashore tan.

Franklin D. Roosevelt's greatest battle—The inspiring story of his triumph over paralysis.

A Girl Pirate in Real Life—An adventuress defies the British Navy in the China Seas.

The Frog Man—What a war invention can do to save lives in times of peace.

How to Bring up the G. I. Baby—A picture story of value to every home producing the new generation.

Why PICTURE NEWS Picks Joe Louis

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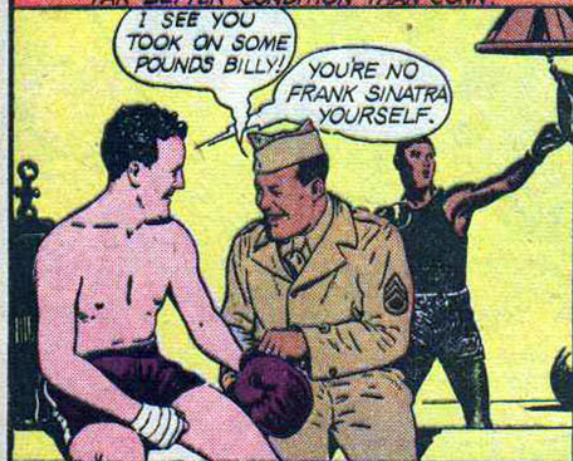
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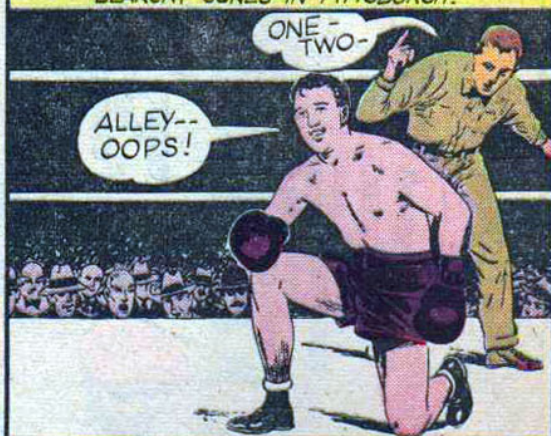
THIS \$3,000,000, FIFTEEN ROUND "BATTLE OF THE CENTURY" WHICH BECKONS MORE THAN 100,000 FANS TO NEW YORK'S YANKEE STADIUM ON JUNE 19 WILL BE HEARD AROUND THE WORLD. 10,000 SEATS AT \$100 EACH!

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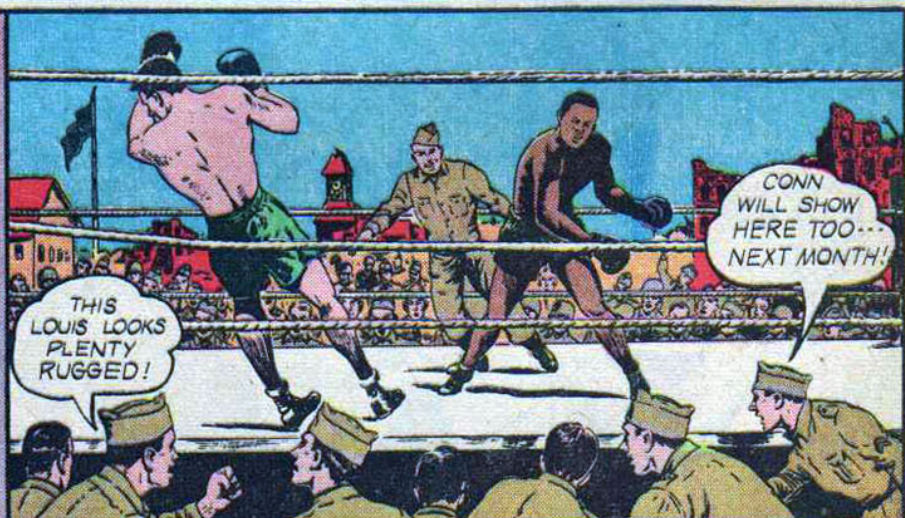
FIRST OF ALL, LOUIS RETURNED FROM THE WAR IN FAR BETTER CONDITION THAN CONN.



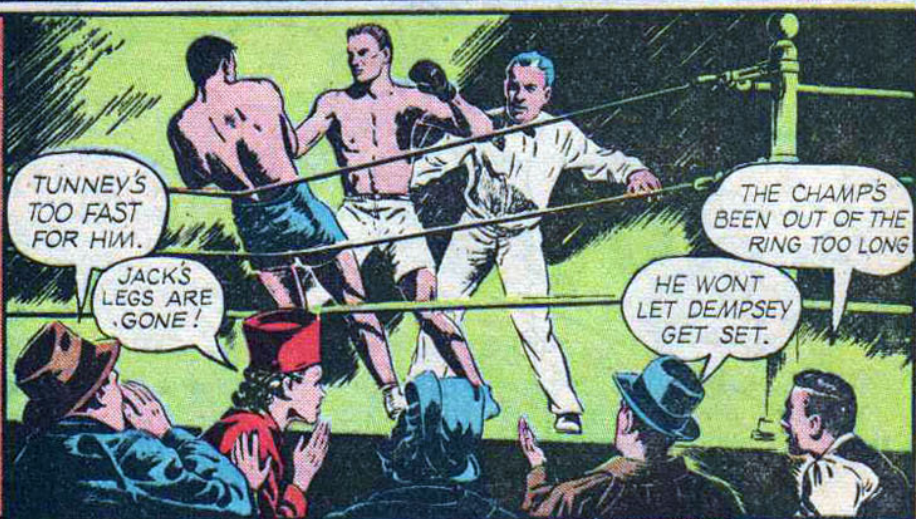
SHORTLY AFTER HIS RETURN, CONN FOUND HIMSELF ON THE FLOOR IN AN EXHIBITION BOUT WITH ONE BEARCAT JONES IN PITTSBURGH.



BOTH FIGHTERS GAVE MANY EXHIBITIONS DURING THEIR HITCH IN THE ARMY, BUT ALL OF THESE DO NOT EQUAL ONE 15 ROUND FIGHT IN CONDITIONING VALUE.

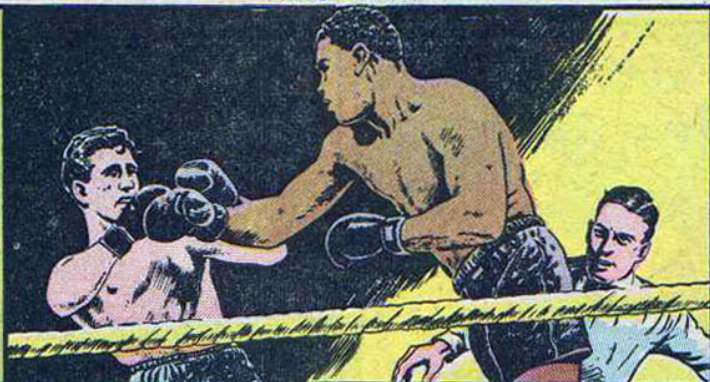


WHAT ABOUT AGE? WELL, CONN IS 28 - LOUIS 32. TUNNEY WAS 28 - DEMPSEY 31 WHEN GENE WON THE TITLE. BUT ----



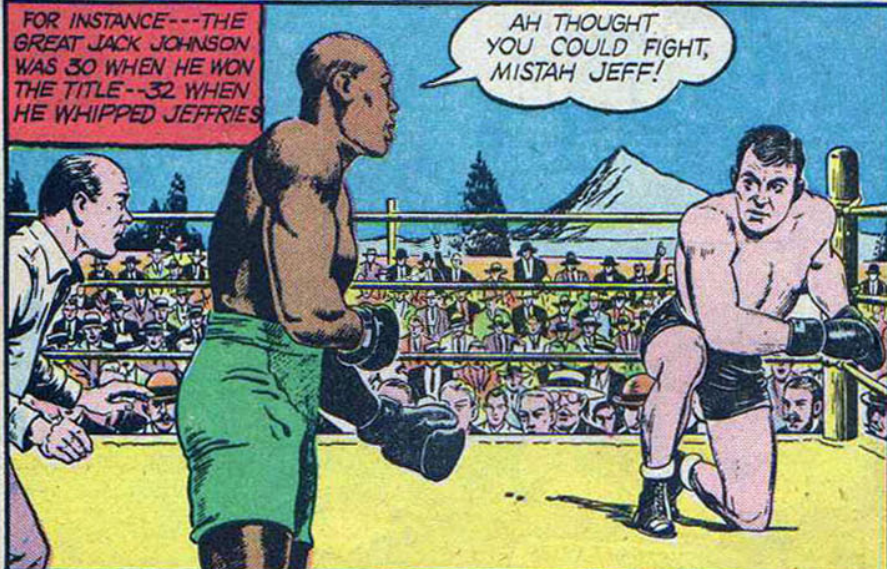
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LOUIS CAN BOX BETTER THAN DEMPSEY COULD---HIS LEGS ARE SOUND. CONN CANNOT ATTAIN TUNNEY'S FINE CONDITION.



NEGROES, AS A RULE, ARE NOT "OLD" PUGILISTICALLY AT 32. THIS IS PARTICULARLY TRUE OF LOUIS, WHO HAS ALWAYS KEPT HIMSELF IN THE BEST POSSIBLE CONDITION.

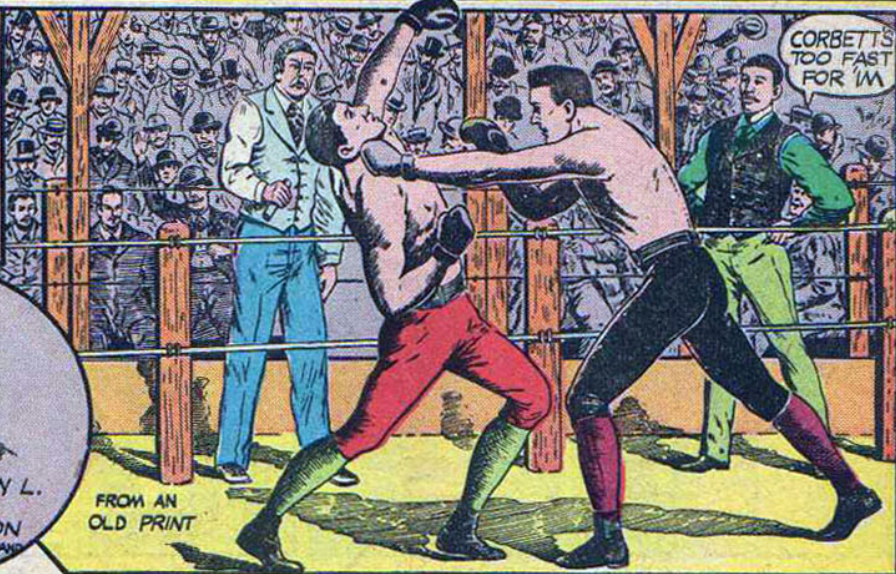
FOR INSTANCE---THE GREAT JACK JOHNSON WAS 30 WHEN HE WON THE TITLE---32 WHEN HE WHIPPED JEFFRIES



AH THOUGHT YOU COULD FIGHT, MISTAH JEFF!

BILLY CONN WILL DEPEND ON SPEED AND CLEVERNESS. HOWEVER, THOSE QUALITIES DEPEND ON PERFECT PHYSICAL CONDITION AS IN THE CASE OF CORBETT WHEN HE DEFEATED SULLIVAN. THE CLEVER CORBETT MAINTAINED HIGH SPEED FOR 20 ROUNDS. CONN WON'T BE IN CORBETT'S FINE CONDITION.

SULLIVAN WAS 34 WHEN HE LOST HIS TITLE TO CORBETT---AND TRAINED ON WHISKEY. LOUIS (32) DOESN'T DRINK OR SMOKE.



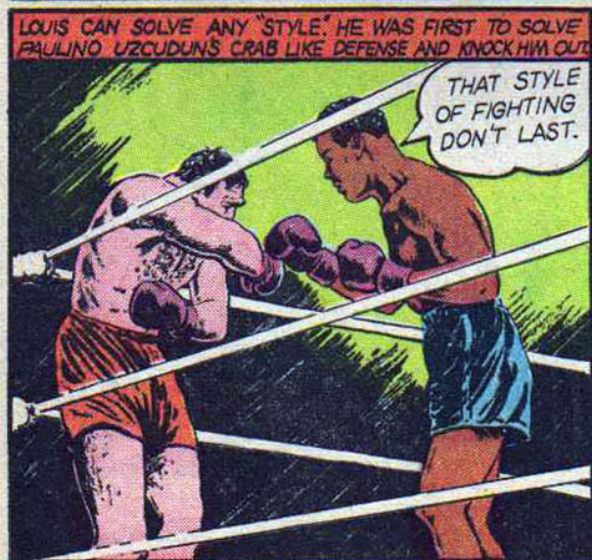
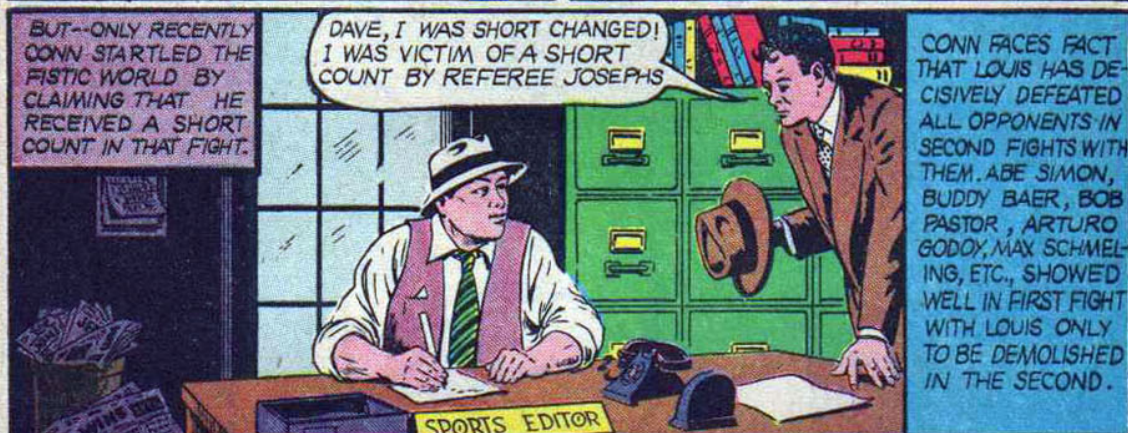
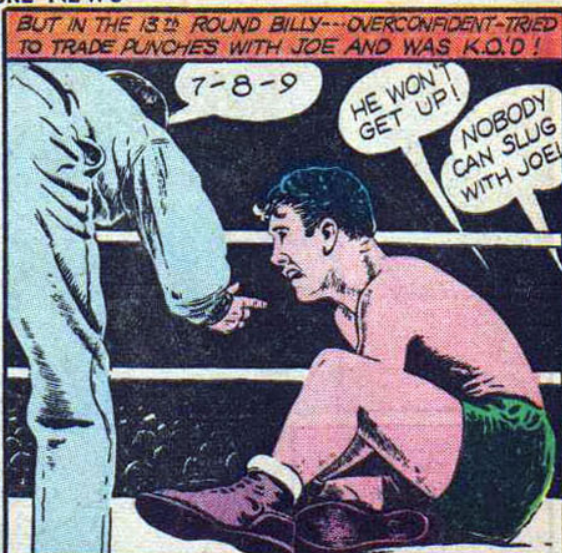
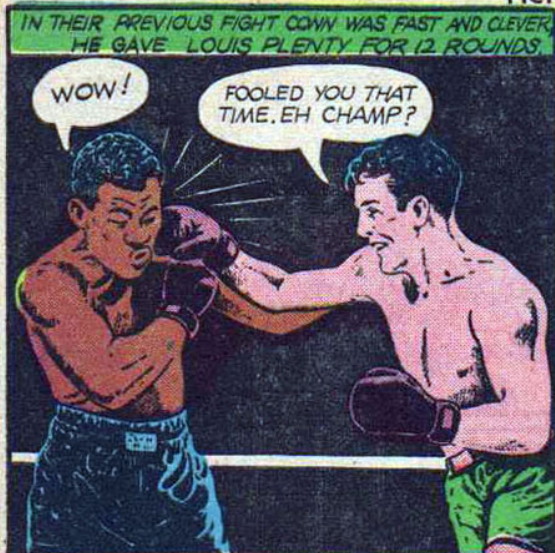
CORBETT'S TOO FAST FOR 'IM



THE GREAT JOHN L. SULLIVAN
EX-CHAMPION
"NO MAN COULD STAND UP TO HIM"

FROM AN OLD PRINT

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CONN WILL BE HAUNTED BY THE OLD RING ADAGE....

A GOOD BIG MAN CAN WHIP A GOOD LITTLE MAN!



--- AND LOUIS IS A GOOD BIG MAN!

BUT SOME OF THE EXPERTS DO NOT AGREE AMONG THEMSELVES

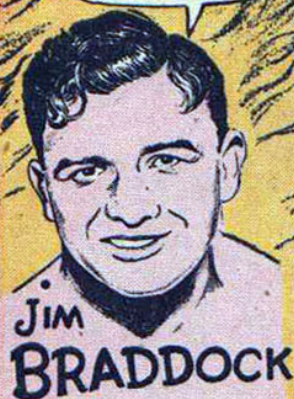
LOUIS IS THE GREATEST OF CHAMPS, BUT YOU CAN'T LAUGH OFF YEARS!

CONN'S YOUTH AND SPEED SHOULD TURN THE TRICK!



Jack DEMPSEY

IF CONN DOESN'T SLUG IT OUT HE SHOULD OUT BOX LOUIS IN 15 ROUNDS!



Jim BRADDOCK



MAX BAER

CONN HAS BEEN A PLAY BOY FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS!



GENE TUNNEY

CONN WILL FACE A HARDER HITTING BUT A SLOWER LOUIS. JOE CAN STILL HIT THE TARGET. THAT TARGET WILL NOT MOVE AS RAPIDLY AS IN THEIR FIRST FIGHT!



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THE WINNER MAY MEET BRUCE WOODCOCK--HARD HITTING BRITISH CHAMPION.

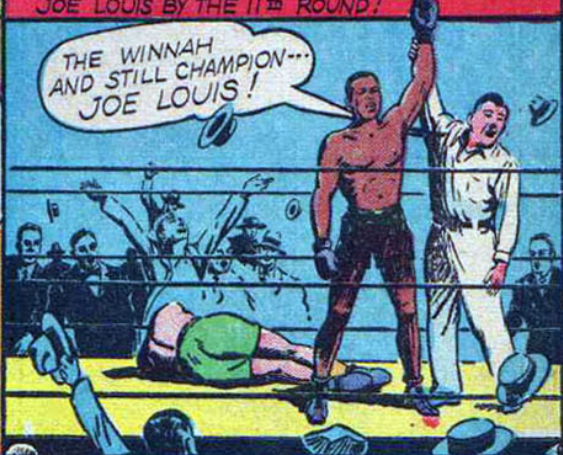
I'M LOOKING FORWARD TO A GREAT INTERNATIONAL MATCH!



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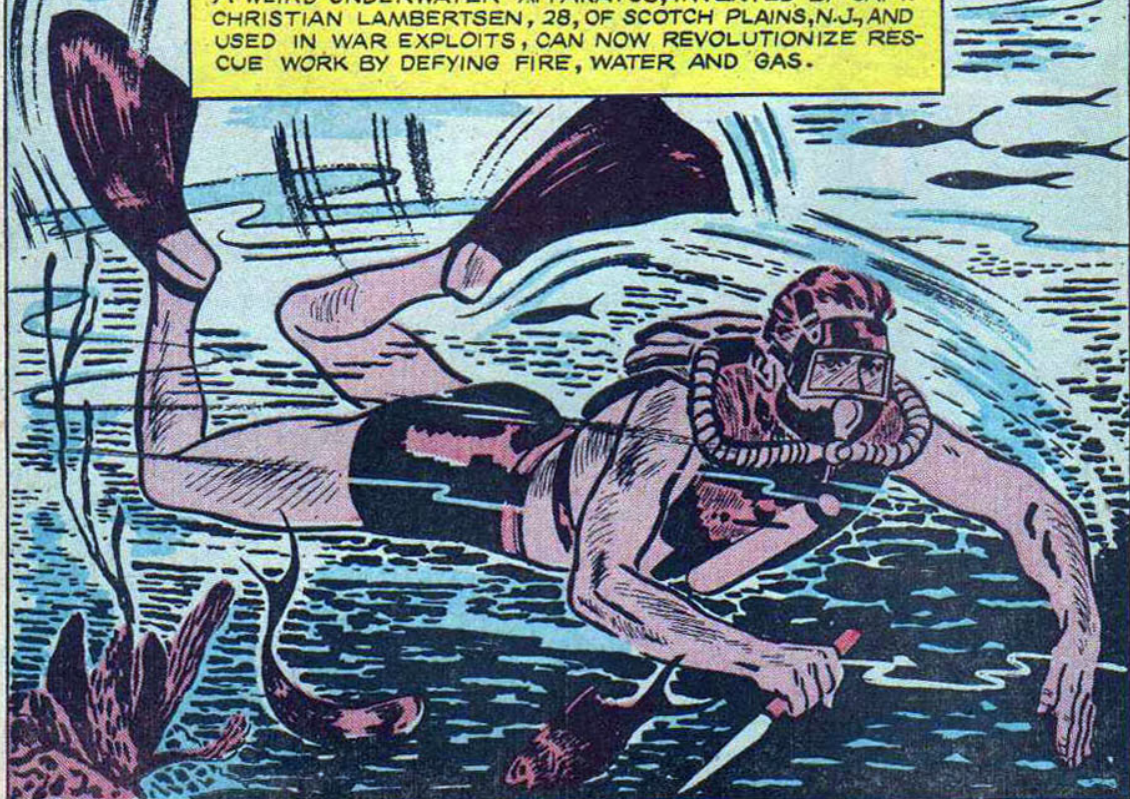
--- AND PICTURE NEWS SAYS THE WINNER WILL BE JOE LOUIS BY THE 11th ROUND!

THE WINNER AND STILL CHAMPION... JOE LOUIS!

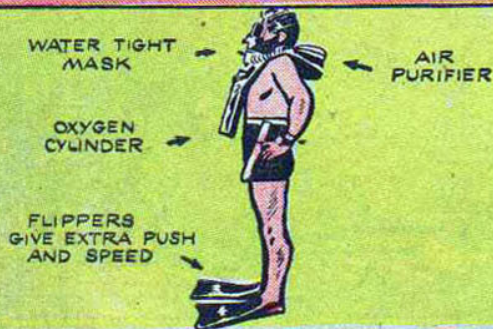


THE FROG MAN!

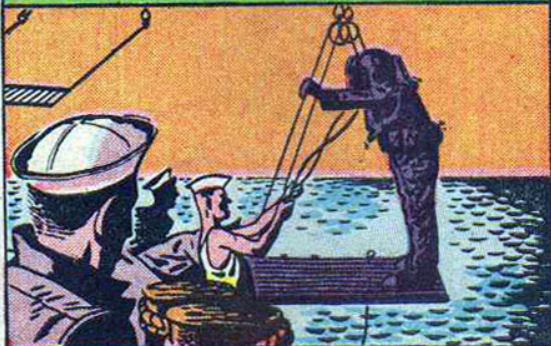
A WEIRD UNDERWATER APPARATUS, INVENTED BY CAPT. CHRISTIAN LAMBERTSEN, 28, OF SCOTCH PLAINS, N.J., AND USED IN WAR EXPLOITS, CAN NOW REVOLUTIONIZE RESCUE WORK BY DEFYING FIRE, WATER AND GAS.



MOST IMPORTANT FEATURE OF FROG MAN IS BREATHING DEVICE WORN OVER FACE AND SHOULDERS, WHICH GIVES DIVER FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT. IT IS WORN WITH OR WITHOUT ADDING PROTECTIVE RUBBER OR WOOLEN SUIT.

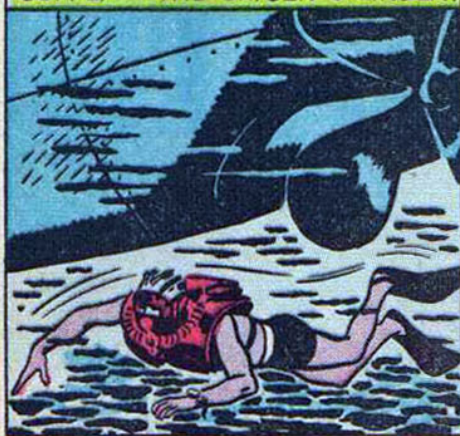


OLD-STYLE DIVING SUIT (STILL NEEDED FOR TERRIFIC PRESSURES AT GREAT DEPTHS) REQUIRES AIR HOSE CONNECTION TO AIR PUMP ON SURFACE. DIVER MUST ALWAYS BE CONNECTED TO SHIP OR NEARBY LAND.



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LAMBERTSEN ELIMINATED AIR LINES. FROG MAN CARRIES HIS OWN AIR SUPPLY---THE OXYGEN CYLINDER.



LAMBERTSEN BEGAN DREAMING OF DE-VICE AS A BOY. LATER, STUDIES AT UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA MEDICAL SCHOOL HELPED HIM WORK OUT IDEA SUCCESSFULLY. HE BUILT EXPERIMENTAL APPARATUS AT HOME, IN COLLEGE AND IN LABORATORY OF A MINNEAPOLIS CHEMICAL CONCERN, AND IN 1940 OFFERED DE-VICE TO NAVY.



YOU CAN STAY UNDER FOR TWO HOURS, OPERATING BEST AT 60 TO 70 FEET. THE EQUIPMENT WEIGHS 20 TO 30 LBS!

IT WAS TURNED OVER TO O.S.S. IN 1942 FOR UNDERWATER DEMOLITION OF ENEMY MINES AND SHIPS. LAMBERTSEN TRAINED FROG-MEN, AND SAW THEM IN ACTION OFF BURMA. FIRST HE PERFECTED DEVICE IN U.S.

HE EQUIPPED DEVICE WITH A CHEMICAL, BARALYME. SWIMMERS EXHALATIONS PASS OVER THIS SUBSTANCE. POISONOUS CARBON DIOXIDE IS ABSORBED BY BARALYME AND NEED NOT BE BREATHED OUT INTO WATER. FROG MEN COULD NOW WORK UNSEEN.

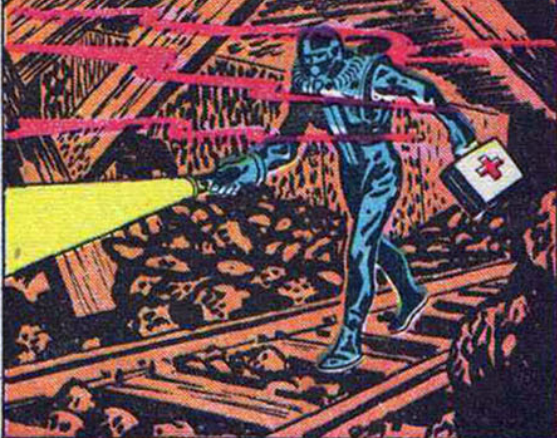
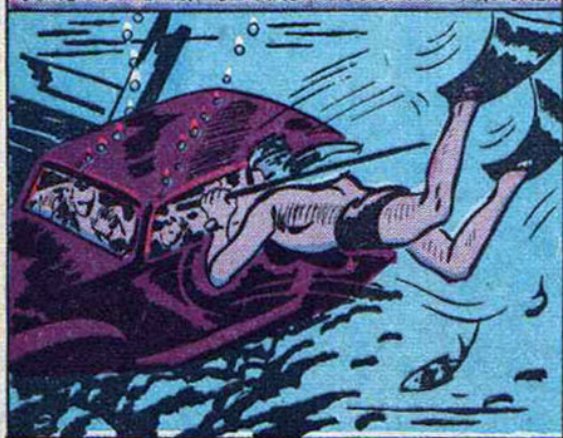


MUST GET RID OF THOSE TELLTALE BUBBLES THAT COME UP WHEN HE BREATHES OUT BAD AIR. ENEMY COULD SPOT HIM!

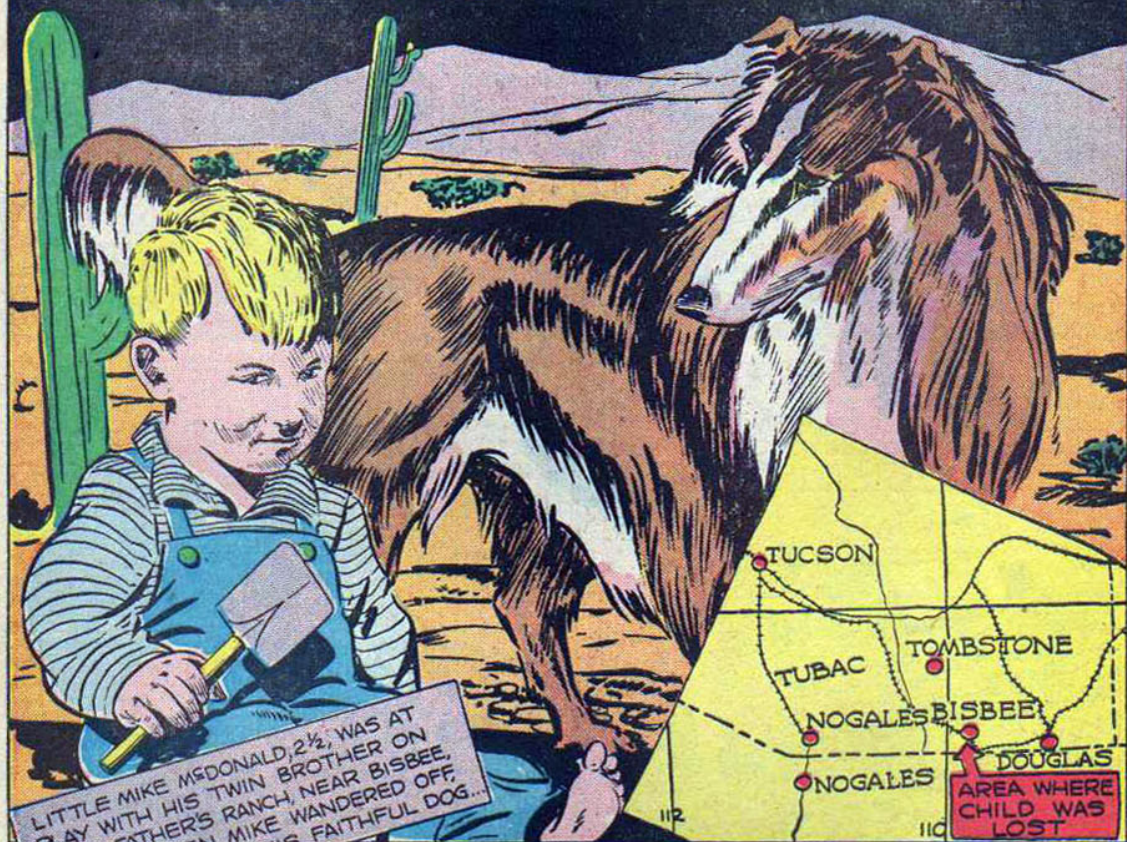


WITH NO AIR HOSE TO GET FOULED OR TO LIMIT RANGE OF MOVEMENT, FROG MEN CAN CONDUCT SALVAGE AND RESCUE WORK QUICKLY.

HE CAN GO FAR INTO FIRES OR GAS-FILLED MINES.



THE DOG THAT SAVED A LOST CHILD FROM WILD ANIMALS

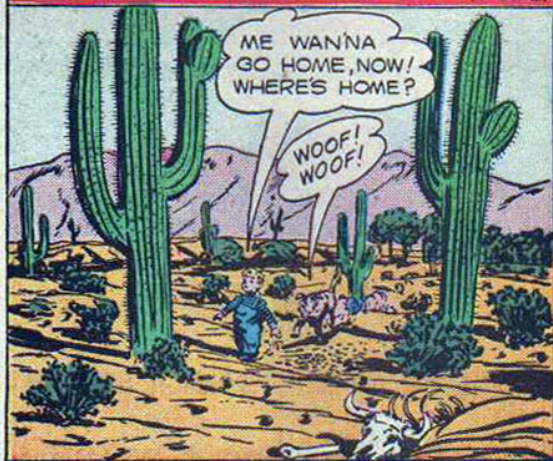


LITTLE MIKE McDONALD, 2½, WAS AT PLAY WITH HIS TWIN BROTHER ON THEIR FATHER'S RANCH, NEAR BISBEE, ARIZONA, WHEN MIKE WANDERED OFF, FOLLOWED BY MACK, HIS FAITHFUL DOG...

HE'S NOT SUPPOSED TO LEAVE HERE! BETTER SEE WHAT HE'S UP TO!



LITTLE MIKE WANDERED UNCONCERNED THROUGH 15 MILES OF DESERT—MACK NEVER LEFT HIS SIDE!



ME WANNA GO HOME, NOW! WHERE'S HOME?

WOOF! WOOF!

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BACK AT THE RANCH, MIKE'S MOTHER DISCOVERED HIS DISAPPEARANCE!

HE MUST HAVE GONE THAT WAY WITH MACK! OUT THERE, HE'LL BE HURT OR... OR EVEN....

WE'LL GET A POSSE TOGETHER

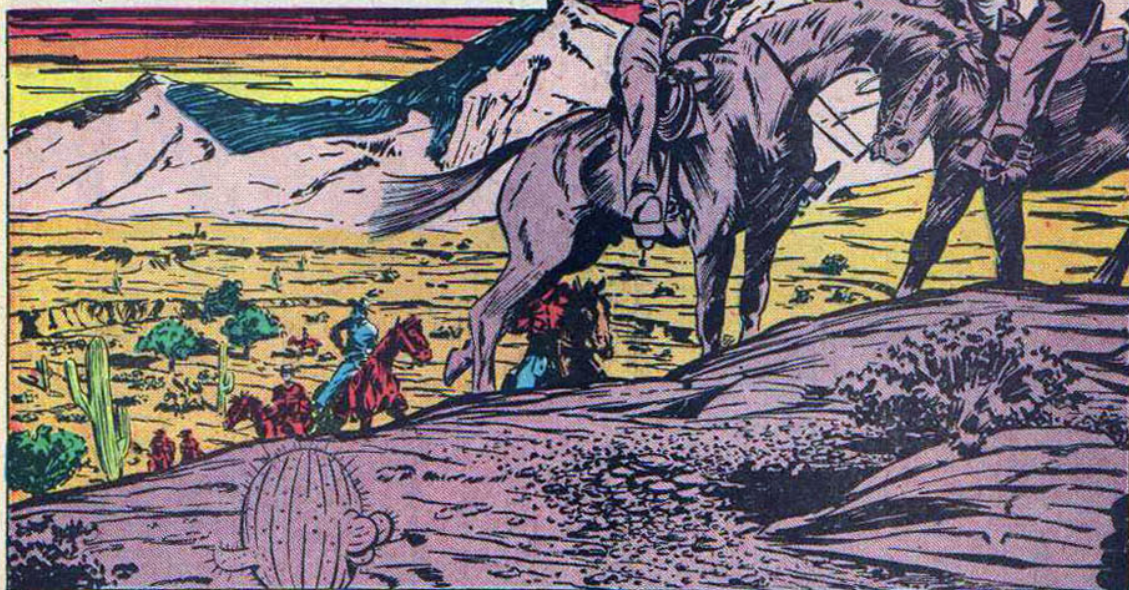
NO TIME TO LOSE—LET'S HIT THE TRAIL!



STATE SENATOR RALPH COWAN, OWNER OF THE RANCH, LED THE HUNT!

THEIR FOOTPRINTS TURN HERE—**LOOK, SENATOR!**

IT'S GETTING DARK...WE CAN'T FOLLOW THEM MUCH FURTHER WITHOUT AID!



A RADIO APPEAL BROUGHT MORE THAN 200 SEARCHERS FROM NEARBY TOWNS!

WE'VE FOLLOWED THEIR TRAIL 12 MILES NOW!

BRRR! JUST LISTEN TO THOSE COYOTES HOWL!



MEANWHILE, LITTLE MIKE WAS COMPLETELY LOST WITH THE COLD NIGHT COMING ON.... BUT HIS FAITHFUL DOG KNEW WHAT TO DO!

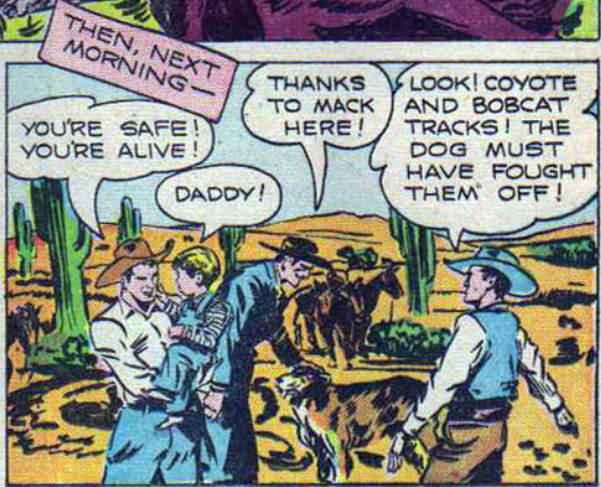
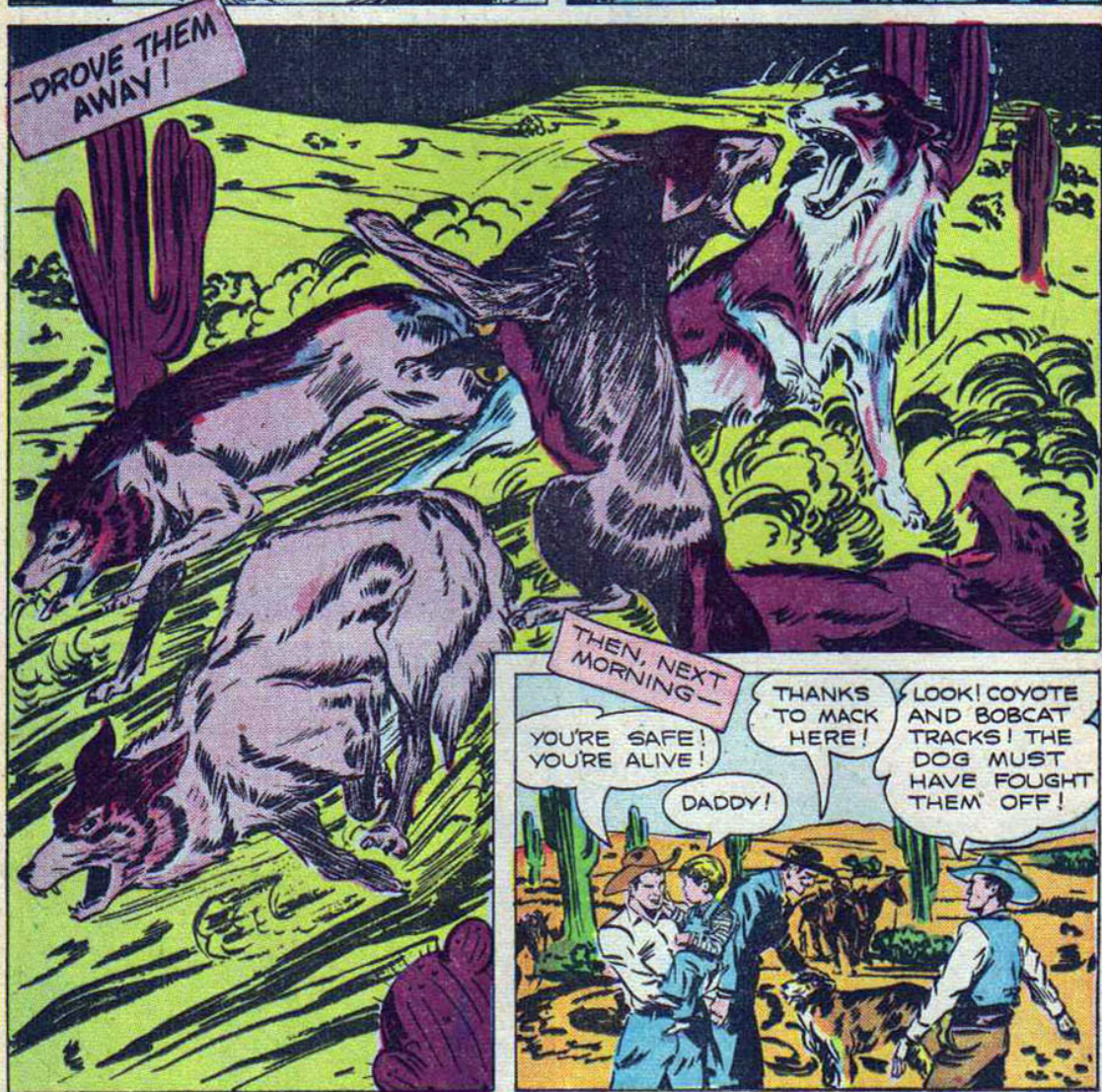
OOOH...ME SLEEPY... ME COLD!



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COYOTES AND BOBCATS, WHICH PROWL THE DESERT AT NIGHT, THREATENED THE CHILD BUT MACK WAS THERE AND—



A Round Trip to Mars!

RADIO CONTACT WITH ROCKET SHIPS IN INTERPLANETARY SPACE AT LAST MADE POSSIBLE, ANNOUNCES THE FAMOUS SCIENTIST DR. HAROLD WEBB, WHO SAW AND HEARD THE FIRST RADAR ECHO TO THE MOON.

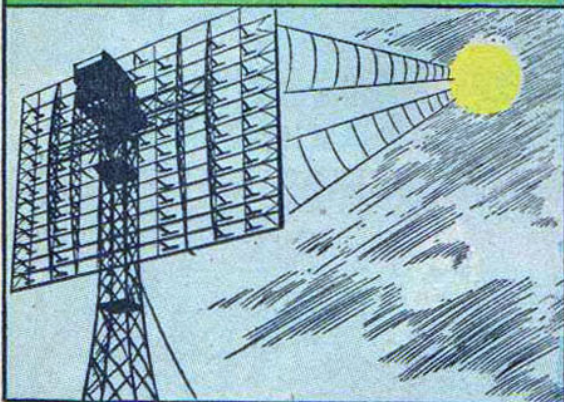
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THE RADAR TO THE MOON BRINGS THE AGE OF SPACE SHIPS CLOSE TO US!

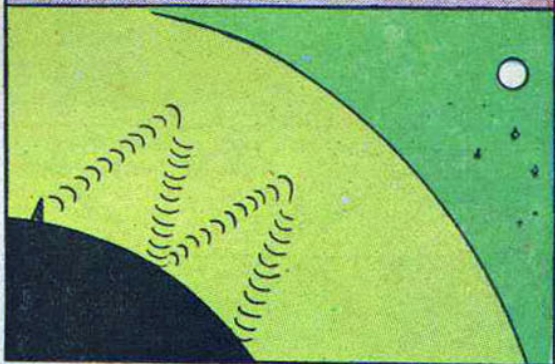
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DR. HAROLD WEBB

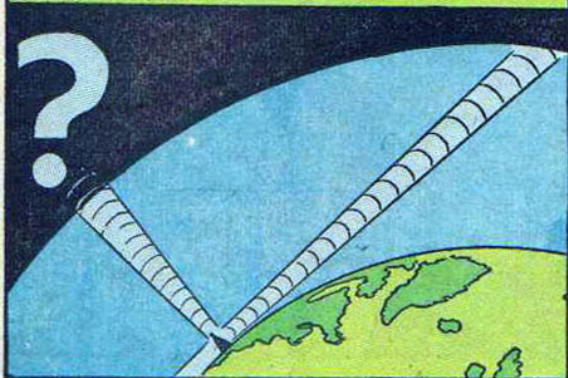
ARMY SCIENTISTS WHO HIT THE MOON WITH RADAR BEAM FROM BELMAR, N. J., PROVED THAT MAN COULD REACH INTERPLANETARY SPACE BY RADIO.



BEFORE THIS, SCIENTISTS WERE NOT SURE RADIO WAVES COULD BREAK THROUGH IONOSPHERE, ELECTRICALLY-CHARGED LAYER WHICH ENVELOPS EARTH. SOME RADIO WAVES DO NOT --- THEY ARE REFLECTED BACK TO EARTH.



BUT HIGH FREQUENCY WAVES LIKE RADAR ARE NOT REFLECTED BY IONOSPHERE. SCIENTISTS ASKED: WHAT HAPPENS TO THEM? DO THEY PIERCE IONOSPHERE AND GO OUT INTO SPACE?

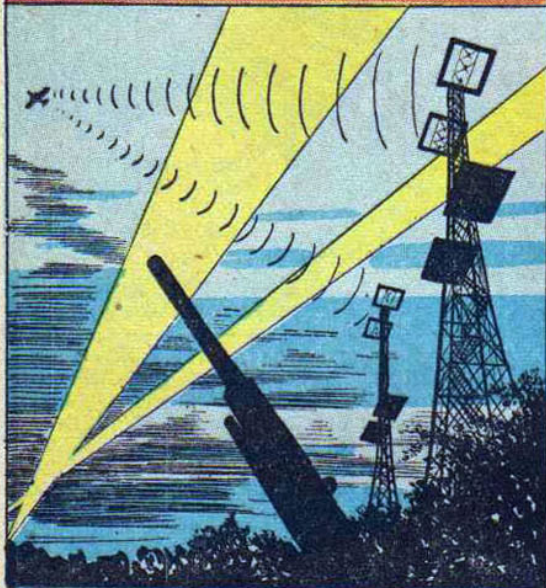


BRITISH SIR ROBERT WATSON-WATT BEFORE THE WAR TRIED TO PROVE THESE WAVES WOULD PIERCE IONOSPHERE AND EVEN WOULD HIT THE MOON!



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HE DIDN'T HIT THE MOON, BUT HE DID PROVE RADAR WAVES BOUNCE BACK FROM SOLID OBJECTS LIKE PLANES. THIS MARKED BIRTH OF RADAR AS DEVICE FOR SPOTTING ENEMY SHIPS AND PLANES!



THIS YEAR U.S. SCIENTISTS AIMED FOR MOON, HOPING RADAR WAVES WOULD PIERCE IONOSPHERE, GO OUT TO THE MOON, ECHO BACK. THEY DID! DR. WEBB AND COLLEAGUE WORKING UNDER COL. J. H. DE WITT CONDUCTED FIRST SUCCESSFUL TEST.



THIS PROVED FOR THE FIRST TIME THAT RADIO WAVES DO PIERCE IONOSPHERE AND CAN CONTACT AN OBJECT IN INTERPLANETARY SPACE!



NOW WE CAN REACH OUTER SPACE BY RADIO, KNOCKING DOWN A MAJOR BARRIER TO REACH IT IN PERSON!

RADIO CONTACT WITH ROCKET SHIPS IN SPACE IS PERFECTLY POSSIBLE. YOU COULD SEND MESSAGES TO SPACE SHIPS, PILOTED BY HUMANS OR REACH RADIO-CONTROLLED SPACE SHIPS. TREMENDOUS ADVANCES HAVE BEEN MADE IN ROCKET AND JET PROPULSION RESEARCH!



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HOW SOON? AUSTRALIAN SCIENTIST PREDICTS RADIO CONTROLLED ROBOT SPACE SHIPS IN 10 YEARS TO SURMOUNT GRAVITATIONAL PULL OF EARTH, ROCKET SHIP WOULD HAVE TO REACH VELOCITY OF 25,000 MILES PER HOUR!

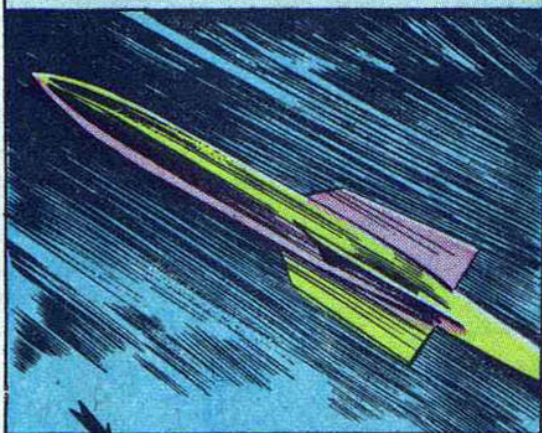


ALTHOUGH SMALL ROCKETS FUELED WITH DRY POWDER ARE 700 YEARS OLD, LIQUID FUELED ROCKETS ARE IN THEIR INFANCY. (LIQUID IS LIGHTER, MORE POWERFUL.) FIRST SUCCESSFUL LIQUID-FUELED ROCKET ROSE 184 FEET AT 60 MPH IN 1926.

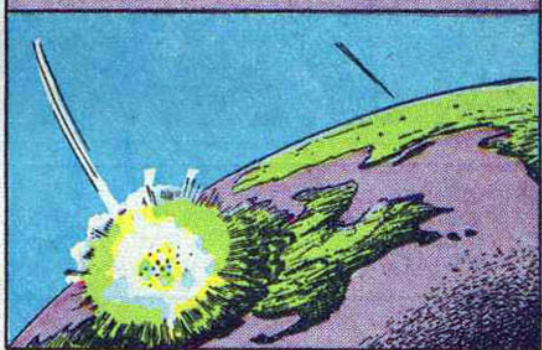
PEOPLE LAUGH AT US NOW!



FASTEST BIG ROCKET NOW IS THE GERMAN V-2 WHICH -



- FLEW 3,000 MILES PER HOUR, 60 MILES ABOVE EARTH'S SURFACE, TO BOMBARD LONDON! IT USES LIQUID ALCOHOL AND OXYGEN.



JUST AS FORTY YEARS AGO PEOPLE LAUGHED AT THE WRIGHT BROTHERS AND THE IDEA OF FLYING ACROSS THE ATLANTIC!

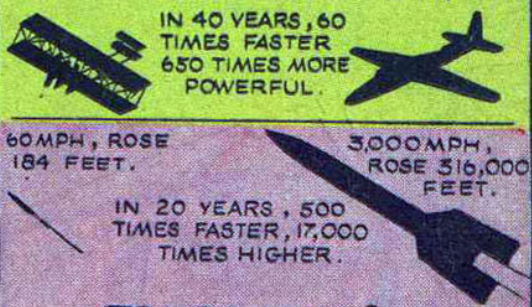
10 MPH, 12 MPH 600 PLUS MPH, 8,000 MPH

IN 40 YEARS, 60 TIMES FASTER 650 TIMES MORE POWERFUL.

60 MPH, ROSE 184 FEET. 3,000 MPH, ROSE 316,000 FEET.

IN 20 YEARS, 500 TIMES FASTER, 17,000 TIMES HIGHER.

TOMORROW?



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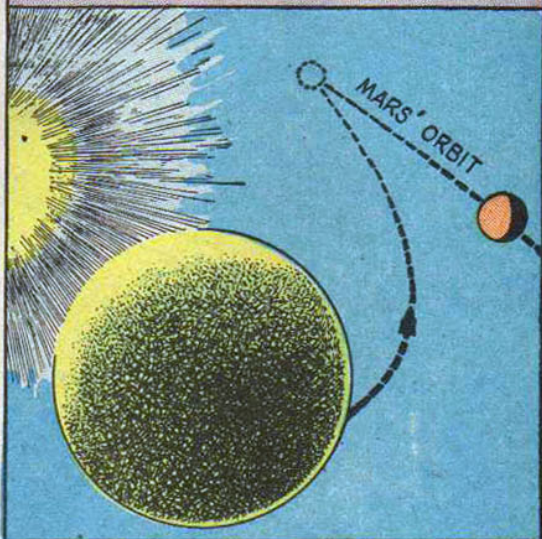
TODAY'S LIQUID FUEL IS NOT EFFICIENT ENOUGH TO GET ROCKET SHIP OUT INTO SPACE. A 100-TON SHIP WOULD NEED AT LEAST 8,000 TONS OF FUEL! ROCKET EXPERT WILLY LEY CONSIDERS ATOMIC ENERGY A POSSIBLE ANSWER.



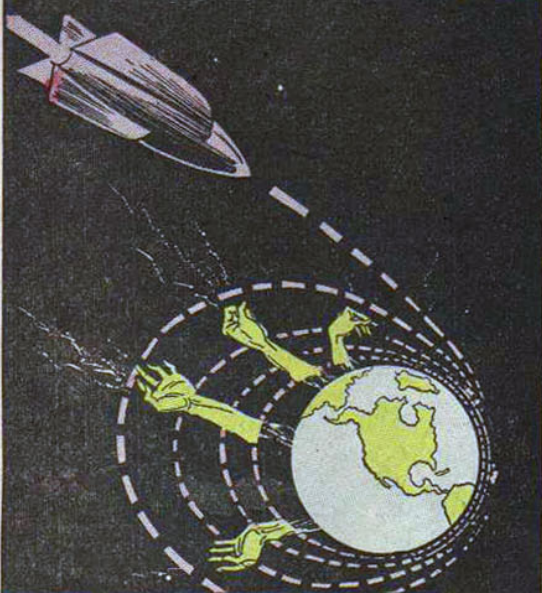
SHIP BRAKES LANDING BY ROCKET JETS. PEOPLE ON EARTH KEEP TRACK OF SHIP BY RADIO----REMEMBER, RADAR TO THE MOON MAKES THIS POSSIBLE!



ONCE ENGINEERING PROBLEMS ARE SOLVED, NAVIGATION PROBLEMS ARISE. TO REACH MARS, WE MUST SWING WITH EARTH'S ORBIT, VEERING GRADUALLY TOWARDS MARS ORBIT AT VELOCITY NEEDED TO ESCAPE EARTH'S GRAVITY PULL (25,000 MPH). IT WOULD TAKE 258 DAYS TO REACH MARS!



WHEN SHIP GETS BACK TO EARTH, IT CANNOT LAND HEAD-ON. FORCES OF GRAVITY WOULD PULL IT DOWN TO A CRASH AT 25,000 MPH! SO SHIP CIRCLES IN GRADUALLY, LIKE A PLANE ---- BUT LANDING TAKES SEVERAL DAYS!



Daring Chinese Girl Pirate Defies the British Navy



BEFORE THE WAR, BIAS BAY PIRATES WERE THE TERROR OF THE CHINA SEA—SWOOPING DOWN ON UNPROTECTED VESSELS AND ESCAPING WITH RICH TREASURE!

WHEN WAR WITH JAPAN ENDED, THE BRITISH AUTHORITIES RETURNED TO HONG KONG, DETERMINED TO PUT A STOP TO ALL PIRACY!



THINK THE PIRATES WILL START THEIR OPERATIONS AGAIN? NOW THAT THE PEACE IS HERE, THEY'LL BE BACK



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WHILE THE BRITISH ORDERED A COMPLETE PATROL OF THE COAST, NEWS SOON CAME THAT THE PIRATES WERE BACK ON THE JOB—WITH A DARING GIRL LEADER!

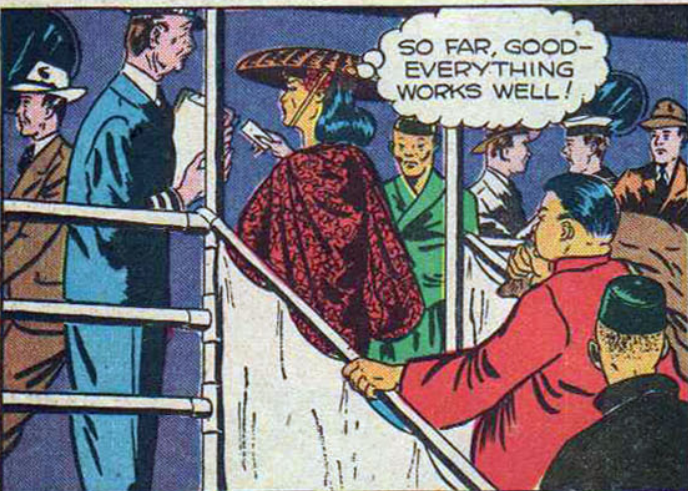
HAVE THEM STAND BY FOR INSPECTION! THAT GIRL'S NOT AMONG THEM!



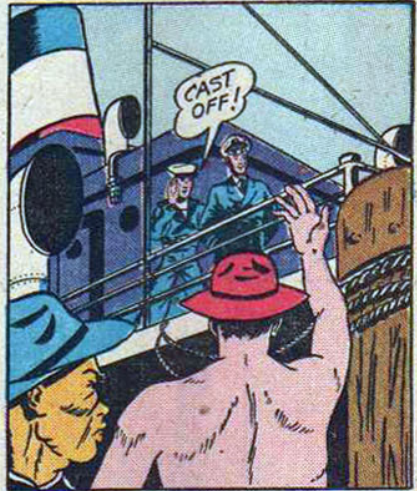
BUT AT THAT VERY MOMENT, NEAR HONG-KONG, THE CHINESE GIRL PIRATE LEADER WAS PLANNING A DARING SEA ROBBERY!

WE POSE AS PASSENGERS ON COASTWISE STEAMER... MEET US IN YOUR SAMPAN AT APPOINTED PLACE!

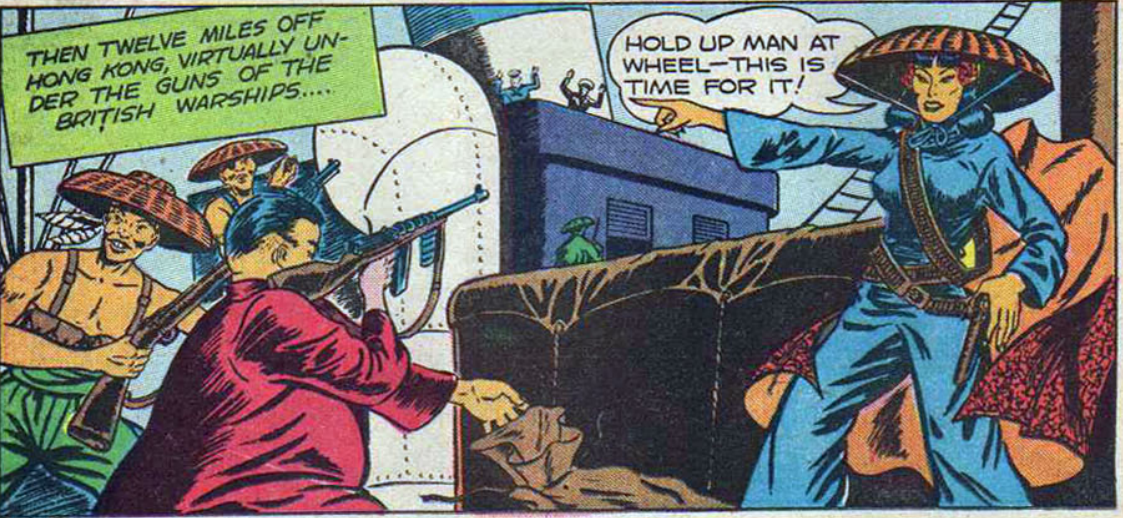
I OBEY, CAPTAIN!



SO FAR, GOOD—EVERYTHING WORKS WELL!



CAST OFF!



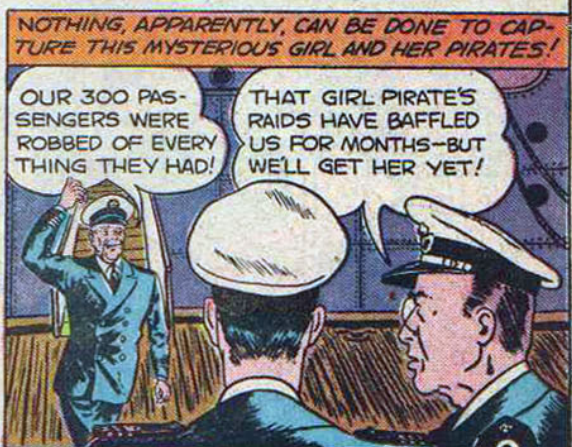
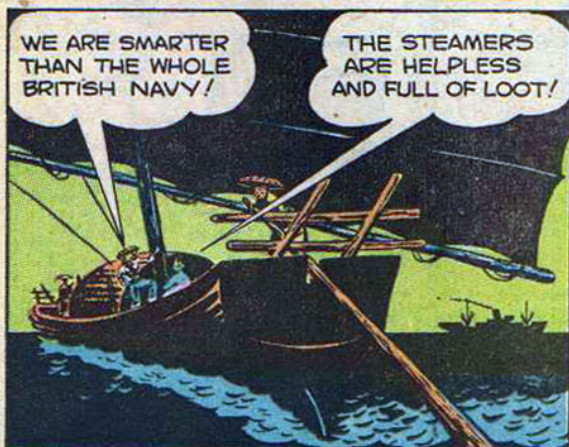
THEN TWELVE MILES OFF HONG KONG, VIRTUALLY UNDER THE GUNS OF THE BRITISH WARSHIPS....

HOLD UP MAN AT WHEEL—THIS IS TIME FOR IT!

PICTURE NEWS



AND AT THE APPOINTED PLACE FOR THE SAMPAN...



The AGA KHAN-a Moslem Potentate Who Is given His Weight in DIAMONDS!

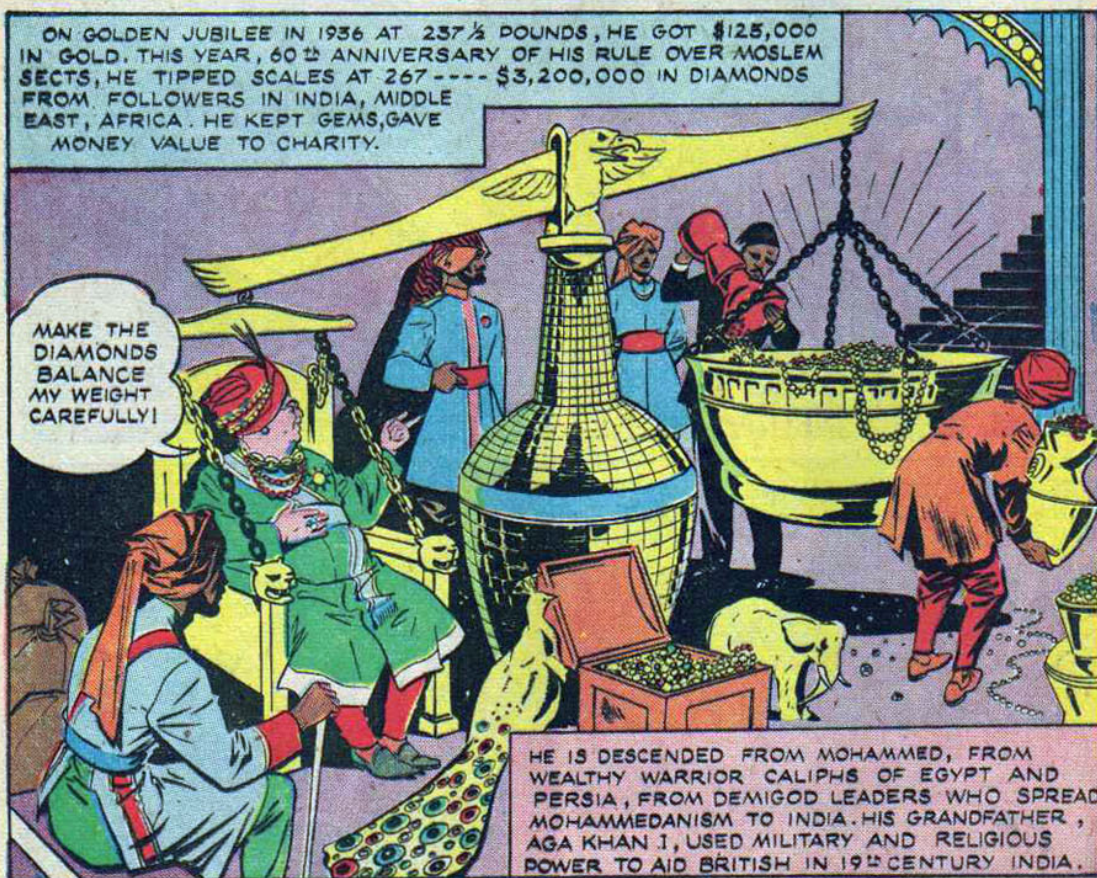
OFTEN MARRIED, A RULER OVER MILLIONS, ONE OF WORLD'S RICHEST MEN, THE SCALES ADD TO HIS WEALTH THE FATTER HE BECOMES THE FIRST PICTORIAL NEWS STORY EVER PUBLISHED OF THIS FANTASTIC LEADER.

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EDSON



ON GOLDEN JUBILEE IN 1936 AT 237½ POUNDS, HE GOT \$125,000 IN GOLD. THIS YEAR, 60th ANNIVERSARY OF HIS RULE OVER MOSLEM SECTS, HE TIPPED SCALES AT 267 ---- \$3,200,000 IN DIAMONDS FROM FOLLOWERS IN INDIA, MIDDLE EAST, AFRICA. HE KEPT GEMS, GAVE MONEY VALUE TO CHARITY.

MAKE THE DIAMONDS BALANCE MY WEIGHT CAREFULLY!



HE IS DESCENDED FROM MOHAMMED, FROM WEALTHY WARRIOR CALIPHS OF EGYPT AND PERSIA, FROM DEMIGOD LEADERS WHO SPREAD MOHAMMEDANISM TO INDIA. HIS GRANDFATHER, AGA KHAN I, USED MILITARY AND RELIGIOUS POWER TO AID BRITISH IN 19th CENTURY INDIA.

PICTURE NEWS

WITH DEATH OF HIS GRANDFATHER AND FATHER, 10-YEAR-OLD AGA KHAN III INHERITED THEIR WEALTH AND RELIGIOUS POSITION.

YOU ARE A DEMIGOD TO MILLIONS IN LANDS RULED BY ENGLAND. YOU MUST LEARN THE WAYS OF ISLAM AND OF ENGLAND AND HELP BOTH TO LIVE IN PEACE.



AS A YOUNG MAN, HE BECAME ACTIVE IN INDIAN POLITICS, AND LED A MOVEMENT WHICH PERSUADED BRITISH TO CREATE MOSLEM STATES SEPARATE FROM HINDU STATES.

THE AGA KHAN DEFENDS OUR RIGHTS -- A GREAT PATRIOT!

FOOL! HE WANTS MOSLEMS AND HINDUS KEPT APART SO THEY WILL NOT UNITE IN WINNING FREEDOM FROM ENGLISH RULE



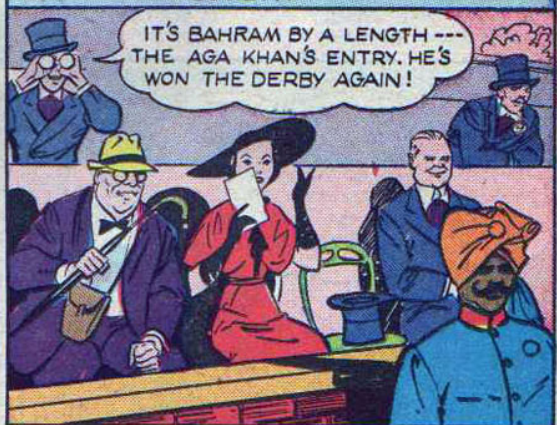
HE RALLIED FOLLOWERS FOR BRITISH IN WORLD WAR I, WHEN ENGLAND FOUGHT MOSLEM TURKEY. HIS FOLLOWERS OBEY HIS WILL, GIVE HIM 2% OF THEIR YEARLY INCOME, CONSIDER EVEN HIS BATH WATER SACRED.

DO NOT FIGHT THE BRITISH ---- THEY GUARANTEE OUR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM.



HE LIVED IN SPLENDOR IN INDIA AND EUROPE, BRED RACE HORSES, MINGLED WITH CONTINENTAL SOCIETY.

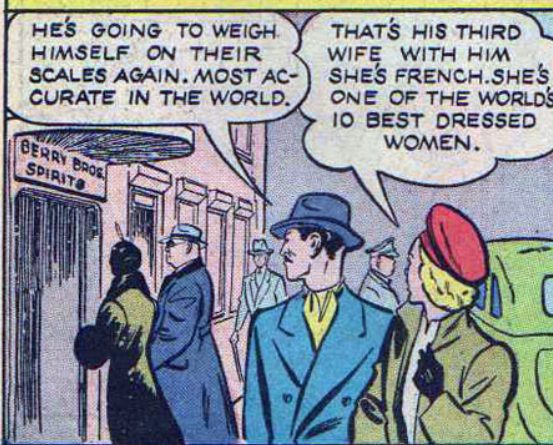
IT'S BAHRAM BY A LENGTH --- THE AGA KHAN'S ENTRY. HE'S WON THE DERBY AGAIN!



HIS WEIGHT HAS ALWAYS FASCINATED THE AGA KHAN

HE'S GOING TO WEIGH HIMSELF ON THEIR SCALES AGAIN. MOST ACCURATE IN THE WORLD.

THAT'S HIS THIRD WIFE WITH HIM SHE'S FRENCH. SHE'S ONE OF THE WORLD'S 10 BEST DRESSED WOMEN.



1937, CHOSEN LEAGUE OF NATIONS ASSEMBLY PRESIDENT, HE GAVE A LAVISH DIPLOMATIC PARTY.

THERE ARE 2800 GUESTS- AND 2500 BOTTLES OF CHAMPAGNE!

WONDER WHY THE CHINESE DELEGATES ARE LEAVING EARLY?

THIS REVELRY IN THE NAME OF PEACE WHILE THE JAPANESE MURDER MY PEOPLE!



PICTURE NEWS

AGA KHAN MET HITLER IN 1937, AND AFTER MUNICH SAID —

THERE'LL BE NO WAR. LET'S TAKE HITLER AT HIS WORD. "MEIN KAMPF"? MANY STATESMEN HAVE SAID THINGS THEY NEVER CONTEMPLATE DOING WHEN IN POWER.



AGA KHAN AND FAMILY FLED TO SWITZERLAND. A BANKER GAVE HIM BAD NEWS.

ALL YOUR FUNDS EVERYWHERE ARE FROZEN BECAUSE OF THE WAR. YOU HAVE NO MONEY UNLESS YOU'RE WILLING TO SELL YOUR HORSE BAHAM TO THOSE AMERICANS.

WE CAN'T BE CHOOSERS NOW!



HITLER LATER SEIZED AGA KHAN'S FRENCH PROPERTY, INCLUDING FAMED STABLES.

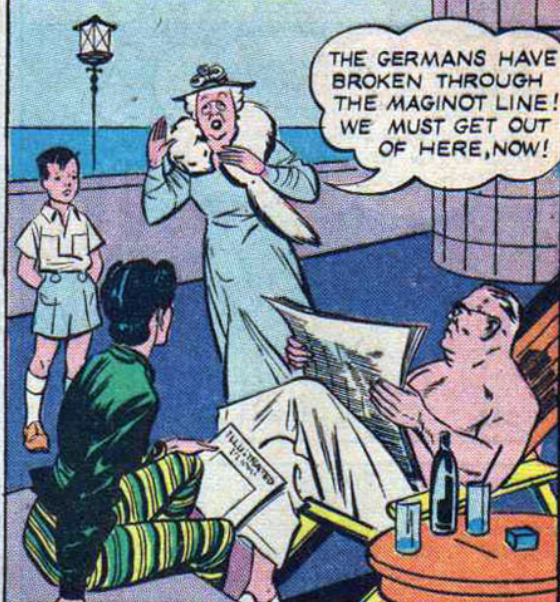
WHAT CHANCE DO YOU THINK HITLER HAS? THE PRESS WANTS TO KNOW!

ALL MY PROPHECIES HAVE BEEN SO UTTERLY WRONG, IT IS USELESS TO GUESS AGAIN!



BUT IN 1940 HIS DREAM-WORLD EXPLODED.

THE GERMANS HAVE BROKEN THROUGH THE MAGINOT LINE! WE MUST GET OUT OF HERE, NOW!



WITH WAR'S END, HE HIT HIS STRIDE. REMARRIED (THIS TIME FORMER MISS FRANCE, 29 YEARS HIS JUNIOR); REGAINED FORTUNE; PREPARED FOR DIAMOND JUBILEE.

THE ATOM BOMB MUST BE CONTROLLED BY A SUPER-NATIONAL STATE, OR ALL ARE DOOMED. MEANWHILE IT IS SAFEST IN AMERICAN HANDS.



IF I COULD, YOU CAN!

BY *Emile Gauvreau*

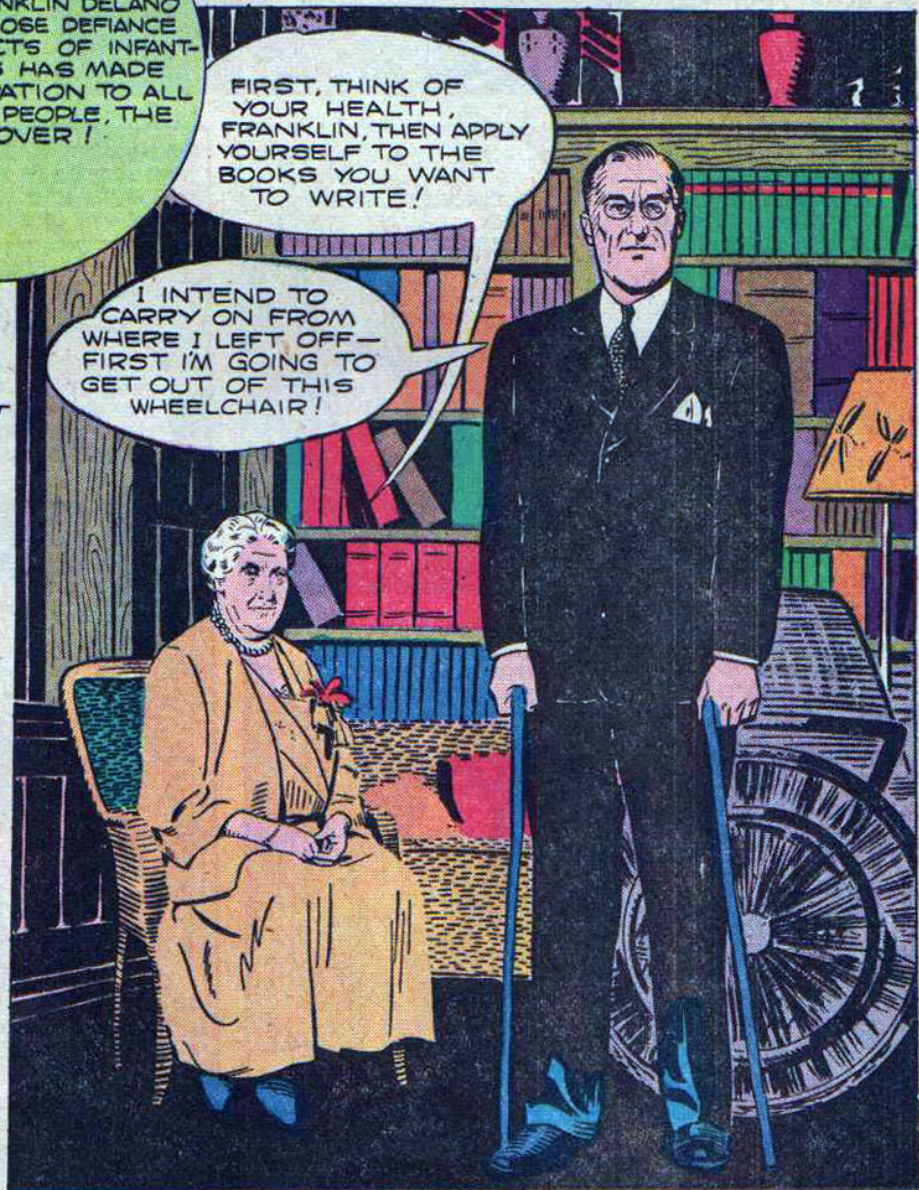
THE PICTURE STORY
BEHIND THE UNCONQUERABLE
SPIRIT OF FRANKLIN DELANO
ROOSEVELT WHOSE DEFIANCE
OF THE EFFECTS OF INFANTILE
PARALYSIS HAS MADE
HIM AN INSPIRATION TO ALL
HANDICAPPED PEOPLE, THE
WORLD OVER!

FIRST, THINK OF
YOUR HEALTH,
FRANKLIN, THEN APPLY
YOURSELF TO THE
BOOKS YOU WANT
TO WRITE!

I INTEND TO
CARRY ON FROM
WHERE I LEFT OFF—
FIRST I'M GOING TO
GET OUT OF THIS
WHEELCHAIR!

FINAL
INSTALMENT

WHEN THE
FUTURE
PRESIDENT
WAS STRICK-
EN WITH
PARALYSIS,
IT WAS
HARD FOR
HIS MOTHER,
SARA DELANO
ROOSEVELT,
TO BELIEVE
THAT HE
WOULD EVER
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MORE THAN
WRITE IN A
WHEELCHAIR
IN HIS
HOME AT
HYDE PARK.



PICTURE NEWS

ROOSEVELT'S ENERGY AFTER HIS NOMINATION IN 1932 AMAZED EVEN HIS OWN MOTHER! ON A 27,000 MILE CAMPAIGN HE DELIVERED 200 SPEECHES, A PERFORMANCE WHICH THE DOCTOR'S SAID WOULD BE ENTIRELY IMPOSSIBLE!

MY FRIENDS, THIS IS A VERY GREAT COUNTRY—AND WE'RE GOING TO KEEP IT THAT WAY!

WE'RE WITH YOU!

GIVE US A NEW DEAL!

ROOSEVELT CULTIVATED CLOSE FRIENDS TO HELP SHARE HIS BURDENS! HE TREASURED THE DEVOTION OF HARRY L. HOPKINS, AN ADVISER WHO, BY HIS OWN WILL POWER LABORED IN PAIN FOR YEARS, AND WHO ONLY SURVIVED THE PRESIDENT BY NINE MONTHS!

WITH HOPKINS AT HIS ELBOW, ROOSEVELT WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE MOST STARTLING PROGRAM OF NATIONAL MEASURES IN UNITED STATES HISTORY!

YOUR JOB IS TO SPEND ONE BILLION, FOUR HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS TO CREATE JOBS FOR THE UNEMPLOYED!

THAT'S QUITE AN ORDER—BUT THE COUNTRY NEEDS IT!

ROOSEVELT CROWDED HIS LIFE WITH SO MANY INTERESTS THAT HIS MIND HAD NO TIME FOR THOUGHTS OF HIS INFIRMITY!

ROOSEVELT ADVISED ALL HIS FRIENDS TO HAVE A HOBBY—WHEN HE WAS TIRED HE TURNED TO HIS COLLECTION OF 30,000 STAMPS WHICH CARRIED HIS MIND TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH!

THIS IS A GREAT HOBBY, HARRY! STAMP COLLECTING MAKES YOU CONSIDER THE PEOPLES OF THE ENTIRE WORLD.

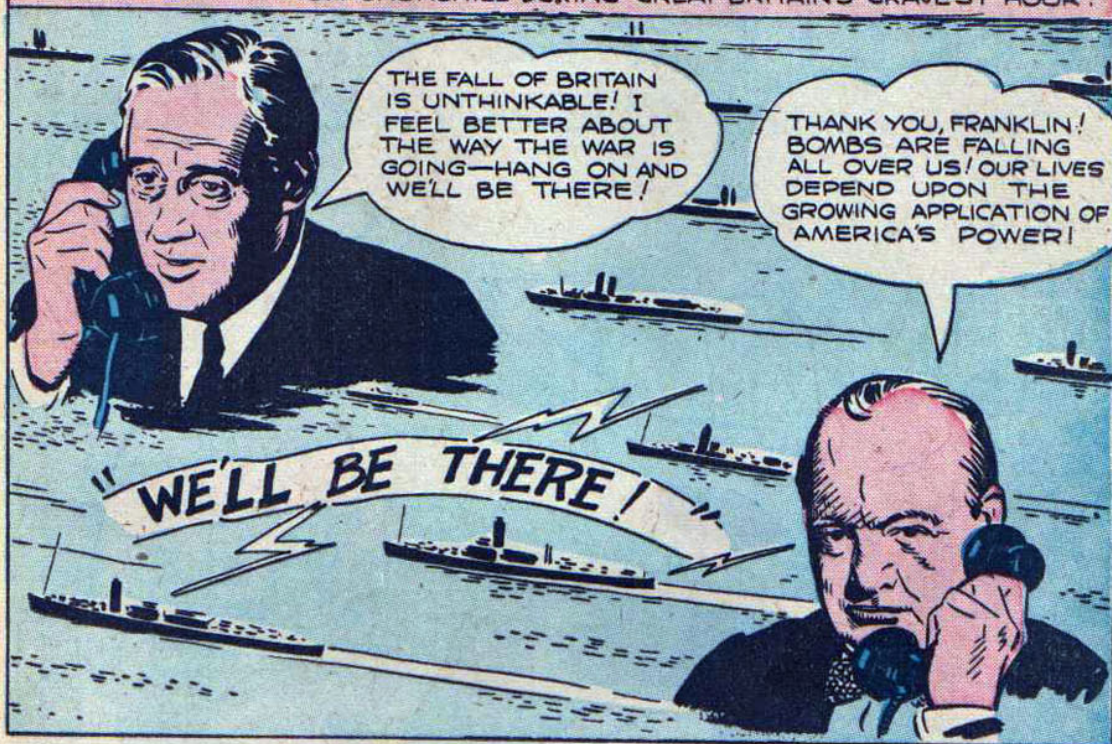
YOU'RE THE NATION'S NO. 1 STAMP COLLECTOR!

THIS DAM FIRST HAD TO BE IN A MAN'S MIND BEFORE IT COULD EVER BE MATERIALIZED!

IT WILL PREVENT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF FLOOD DAMAGE!

PICTURE NEWS

A MAN UNABLE TO WALK, BUT WHO ACTUALLY WILLED VICTORY, INSPIRED PRIME MINISTER WINSTON CHURCHILL DURING GREAT BRITAIN'S GRAVEST HOUR!

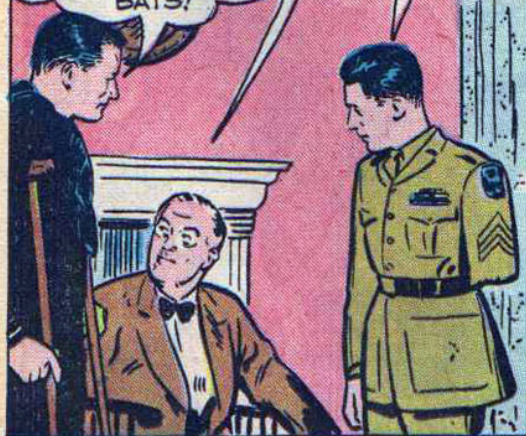


ROOSEVELT WAS DETERMINED THAT THE DISABLED, EVERYWHERE IN THE U.S., WOULD BE ELEVATED TO RESPONSIBLE CITIZENSHIP!

A MAN IS A MAN FOR ALL HIS INJURIES! HE WANTS TO BE INCLUDED IN NORMAL ACTIVITIES!

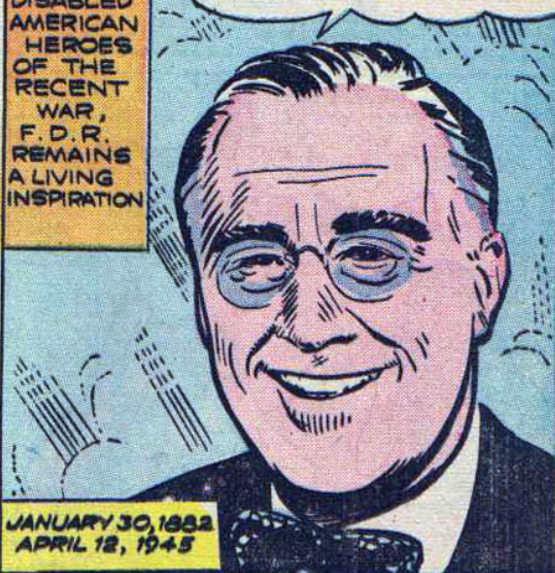
THE WORLD WILL NOT BE SAVED BY ACROBATS!

YOU HAVE SHOWN US WHAT CAN BE DONE, MR. PRESIDENT.



TO ALL HANDICAPPED PEOPLE AND TO THE 1,500,000 DISABLED AMERICAN HEROES OF THE RECENT WAR, F.D.R. REMAINS A LIVING INSPIRATION

A WISE MAN ONCE SAID: "COURAGE IS THE CAPACITY TO BEAR THE UNBEARABLE." IT IS AN AMERICAN QUALITY—REMEMBER, THAT IF I COULD, YOU CAN!

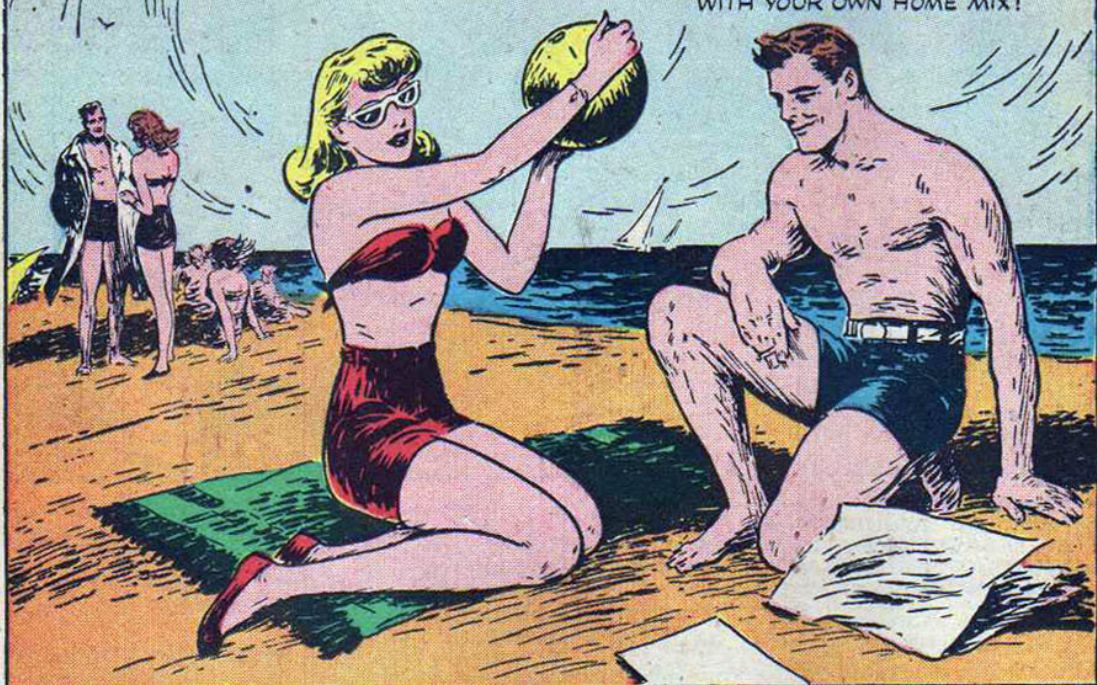


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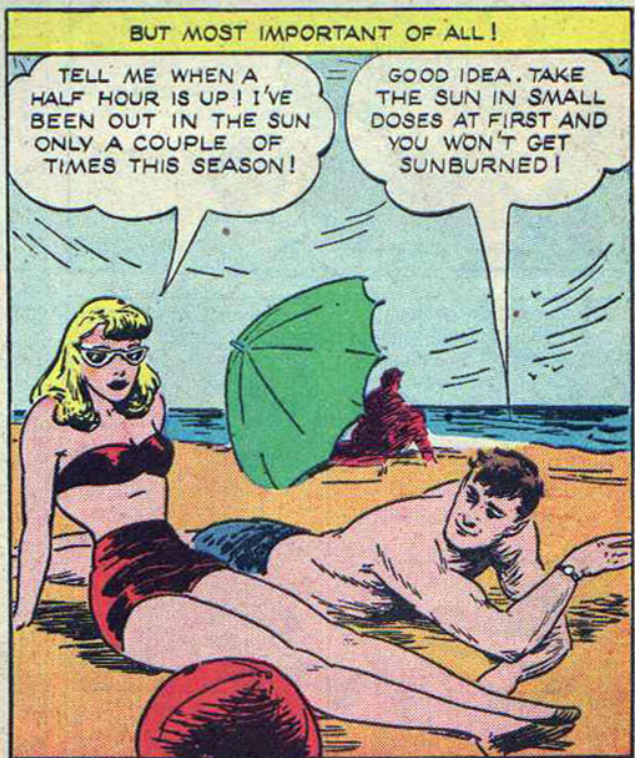
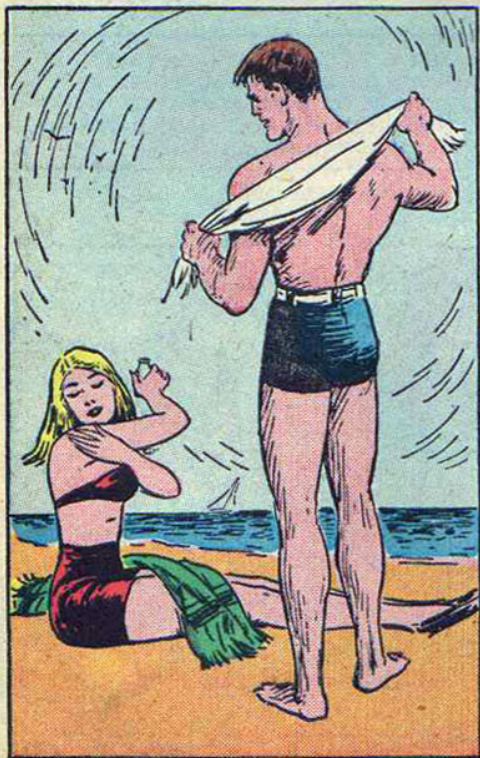
BEAUTY *at the* BEACH

How to Suntan Attractively and Safely!

EXPENSIVE PATENT LOTIONS
AREN'T NECESSARY FOR NOR-
MAL SKIN. EASY DOES IT----
WITH YOUR OWN HOME MIX!



PICTURE NEWS



HOW TO BRING UP THE G.I. BABY

IT TAKES AN ARMY DOCTOR TO PLAN THE PERFECT STRATEGY FOR THE CARE OF 3 MILLION NEW CITIZENS, THE WAR BABIES OF AMERICA.

BY ALLEN H. MOORE, M.D.
(NOTED DOYLESTOWN, PA., COUNTRY DOCTOR)

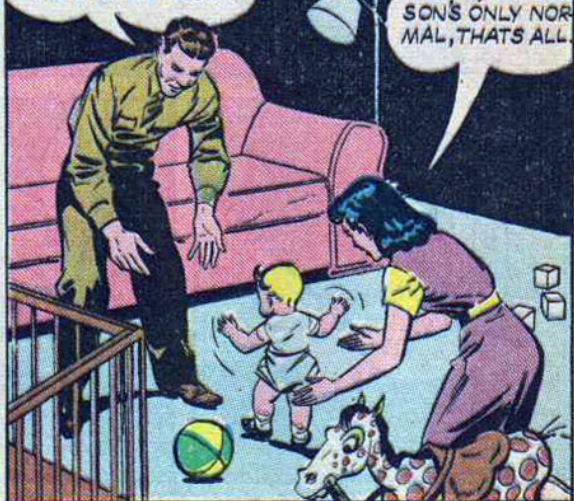
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DR. A. H. MOORE, EMINENT MEDICAL AUTHORITY AND U.S. ARMY DOCTOR, ADVOCATES THE NATURAL, COMMON SENSE APPROACH TO CHILD RAISING, RATHER THAN THE STIFF, TOO SCIENTIFIC ATTITUDES OF BOOK METHOD.

AT THE TIME NATURE CHOOSES, ABOUT 9 MONTHS OF AGE IN MOST CASES, A BABY WILL TRY TO STAND. AT THIRTEEN OR FOURTEEN MONTHS HE WILL WALK ALONE!

WOW! HE'S AS GOOD AS THE INFANTRY! HE'S A GENIUS!

I HATE TO DISAPPOINT YOU, DEAR, BUT OUR SON'S ONLY NORMAL, THAT'S ALL.



HE'S A PERFECT BABY... BECAUSE HE HAS SUCH SENSIBLE PARENTS!

I JUST FOLLOW YOUR ADVICE, DOCTOR, AND DON'T WORRY ABOUT RULES!

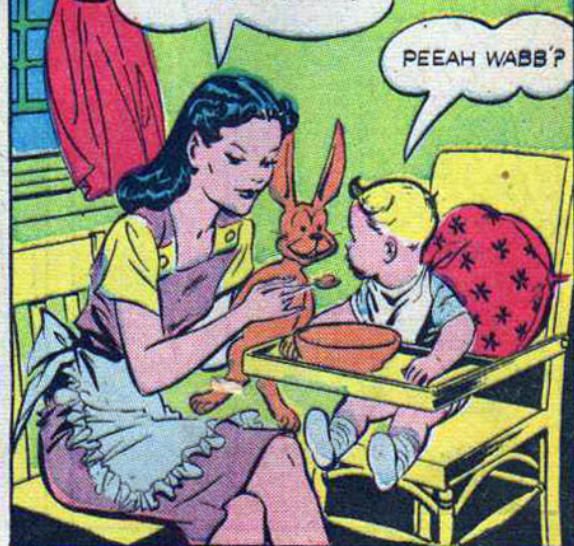
MARY USES HER HEAD, AND PRACTICALLY NEVER READS A BABY BOOK!



BE NATURAL AND ALMOST CASUAL ABOUT BABY'S FEEDING. WHOLESOME FOOD, IN ADEQUATE PORTIONS, PREPARED TEMPTINGLY, WILL SPARE YOU MANY LATER FOOD PROBLEMS.

CARROTS, DARLING? SOME FOR YOU, AND SOME FOR PETER RABBIT?

PEEAH WABB'P?



EACH BABY IS A RUGGED INDIVIDUALIST, PROCEEDING FROM ONE STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT TO ANOTHER AT HIS OWN PACE. BOOKS, CHARTS, STATISTICS SPEAK ONLY OF THE AVERAGE BABY, NOT OF YOUR BABY.

DONNIE'S SLEEPING LESS THESE DAYS. WHEN HE GETS TO BE YOUR BILLIE'S AGE, HE'LL BE DIGGING TOO!

DON'T RUSH HIM HE'LL DO EVERYTHING IN HIS OWN GOOD TIME!

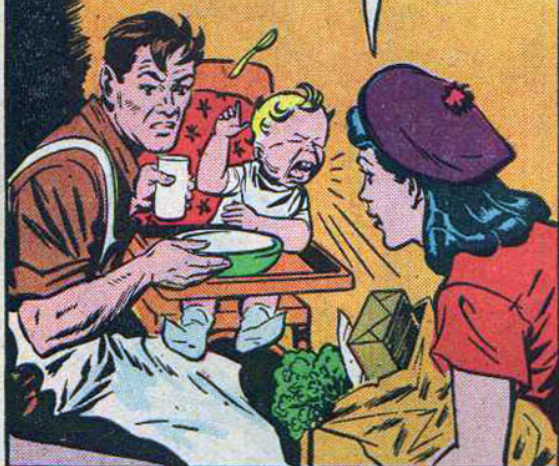


PICTURE NEWS

ABOVE ALL, BE FIRM AT FEEDING TIME! A CHILD WHO SEEKS ATTENTION BY NOT EATING, WHO DRIVES HIS PARENTS TO DISTRACTION AT MEALTIMES, IS A TYRANT WITHOUT MERCY.

WHEW! WHAT TOOK YOU SO LONG AT THE STORE? JUNIOR'S TOSSING A FOOD TANTRUM!

HE'S JUST PLAYING FOR THE SPOTLIGHT. BABIES ARE ALL ACTORS AT HEART. I'LL SOON STOP THIS!



A MOST IRRITATING FEATURE OF BABY'S FIRST YEAR OF LIFE IS TEETHING. BUT THE WISE, CALM MOTHER WILL STEER HER CHILD SAFELY THROUGH THIS BATTLE OF THE MILK TEETH!

WHY DARLING! ANOTHER NEW TOOTH! WHAT A GOOD BOY YOU ARE, NOT TO CRY AT ALL!



THE AVERAGE CHILD WILL HAVE 2 TEETH AT 7 MONTHS, 6 TEETH AT 8 TO 10 MONTHS, 12 AT 15 MONTHS, 16 AT 18 TO 24 MONTHS, AND 20 PEARLY TEETH AT TWO AND A HALF YEARS.

YOUR SON MAY HAVE ONE OR TWO TEETH MORE OR LESS AT ANY GIVEN AGE, BUT WITHIN SAFE LIMITS, THERE IS NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT!

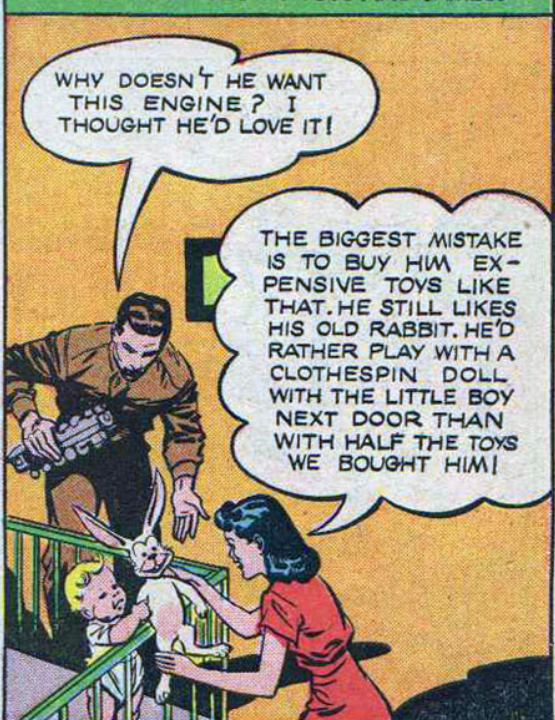
I SEE. HE'S ONE YEAR OLD NOW, AND HE HAS 11 TEETH!



AT ONE YEAR OF AGE A CHILD IS ALREADY A REASONABLE FACSIMILE OF THE PERSON HE WILL BE. HE DESIRES FRIENDS OF HIS OWN AGE GROUP, AND HAS HIS OWN PREFERENCES IN TOYS AND GAMES.

WHY DOESN'T HE WANT THIS ENGINE? I THOUGHT HE'D LOVE IT!

THE BIGGEST MISTAKE IS TO BUY HIM EXPENSIVE TOYS LIKE THAT. HE STILL LIKES HIS OLD RABBIT. HE'D RATHER PLAY WITH A CLOTHESPIN DOLL WITH THE LITTLE BOY NEXT DOOR THAN WITH HALF THE TOYS WE BOUGHT HIM!



PICTURE NEWS

AT THIS SAME TIME, ABOUT ONE YEAR OF AGE, BABY'S PARENTS HAD BEST BE ON THEIR GUARD, FOR HE IS A NATURAL MIMIC!



AND, AT THE END OF ONE YEAR, THIS HAPPY O. I. BABY WILL HAVE GROWN TO THE HEIGHT OF TWENTY NINE INCHES. THAT IS AVERAGE, AND NORMAL, THOUGH SOME CHILDREN ARE TALLER OR SHORTER AT THIS AGE.



BUT, REGARDLESS OF HOW MUCH COMMON SENSE THE YOUNG PARENTS USE, THERE IS STILL ONE MUST-RULE TO OBSERVE. THAT IS —

YOU'RE RIGHT ON TIME FOR BABY'S CHECKUP! HE'S DUE FOR HIS NEXT INOCULATION TOO. DIPHTHERIA.



NEVER UNDER ESTIMATE THE VALUE OF MEDICAL SCIENCE, BUT DON'T MINIMIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF YOUR OWN COMMON SENSE. THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR A DOCTOR IN ILLNESS, BUT IN HEALTH, A CHILD'S BEST FRIEND IS HIS NATURAL, UNWORRIED MOTHER.

WHEW ---- THIS LAD OF OURS HAS MORE ENERGY THAN A DYNAMO! WHERE DOES HE GET IT?



ELECTRONIC HOT DOGS



YOU'LL BE GETTING THEM SOON FROM AUTOMATIC VENDING MACHINES THAT WILL COOK AND SERVE THEM IN A MATTER OF SECONDS — YES, WITH MUSTARD.

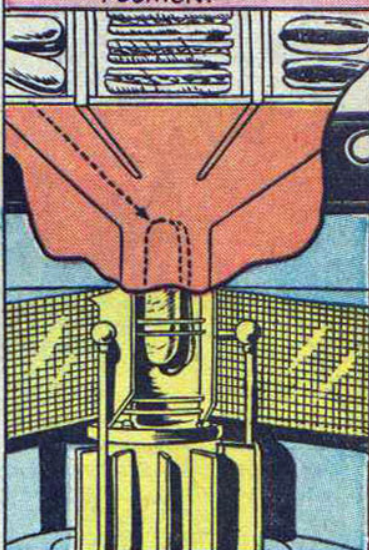
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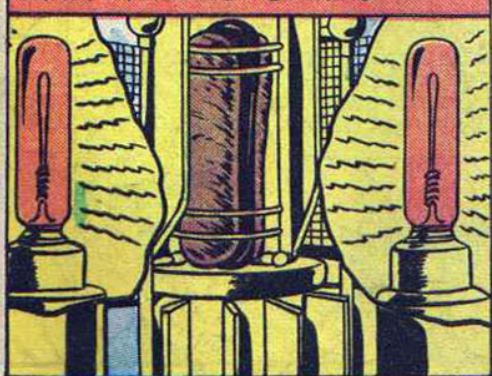
PRE-COOKED SANDWICHES, WRAPPED BY MACHINE, HAVE BEEN DELIVERED TO VENDING MACHINE EARLIER IN DAY, TO BE EATEN ANY TIME YOU'RE HUNGRY DOESN'T MATTER IF THEY GET COLD.



THE KIND OF SANDWICH YOU CHOOSE SLIDES INTO POSITION.



HERE, ELECTRONIC TUBES SEND OUT RADIATIONS WHICH QUICKLY AND EVENLY HEAT SANDWICH ALL THROUGH WITHOUT BURNING



AND OUT POPS YOUR HOT DOG — MUSTARD AND ALL!



FROM A GAY 90'S SONG PLUGGER TO A 20TH CENTURY MILLIONAIRE

THE TUNEFUL CAREER OF
EDWARD B. MARKS WILL BE
REMEMBERED AS REFLECT-
ING HALF A CENTURY OF
AMERICA'S POPULAR MUSIC.



MARKS BECAME STAGE-STRUCK
WHEN HE FREQUENTED NEW
YORK'S THEATRICAL DISTRICT
IN THE 1880'S



DID YOU
HEAR HER,
AT PASTOR'S?

I WISH I
WAS IN SHOW
BUSINESS!

WHEN WE
PLAYED THE
ORPHEUM
IN FRISCO....

MARKS HAD NO MUSICAL TALENT, BUT DID
WRITE VERSE. HE BROKE INTO SONG-
WRITING WHEN POLLY HOLMES, STAR
AT PASTOR'S ASKED HIM TO WRITE
LYRICS FOR HER.

I UNDERSTAND YOU
WRITE A LITTLE. COULD
YOU DO A COMIC IRISH
SONG FOR ME?

I'LL TRY. I'LL
GET ROSENBERG,
THE ARRANGER,
TO DO THE TUNE.



PICTURE NEWS

MEANWHILE, MARKS TOOK A STEADY JOB AS A SALESMAN. ON THE ROAD, HE MET ANOTHER SALESMAN, JOE STERN.

I'M ON THE ROAD, TOO. NECKTIES. BUT I WRITE TUNES ON THE SIDE.

I WRITE LYRICS! HAVE YOU HEARD 'DECEMBER AND MAY'?

IN A MAMARONECK, N.Y. HOTEL, THEY WROTE THE TEAR-JERKER, 'THE LITTLE LOST CHILD'.

LET'S SEE ---- A POLICEMAN FINDS A LOST CHILD, DISCOVERS ITS HIS OWN. HIS WIFE HAS LEFT HIM.



SHE WANTED TO INTRODUCE THEIR SONG IN HER SHOW! IT WENT OVER. THE PARTNERS WROTE ANOTHER HIT, INSPIRED BY A VISIT AT A NEW YORK RESTAURANT.

WITH THIS ONE SONG PRINTED, THEY SET THEMSELVES UP AS PUBLISHERS IN A TINY OFFICE.

I'M HANGING ON TO MY SALES JOB FOR SECURITY. EVEN IF WE FLOP, OUR FURNITURE ONLY COST \$1.10.

LOOK! ISN'T THAT DELLA FOX, THE BROADWAY STAR, COMING UP HERE?



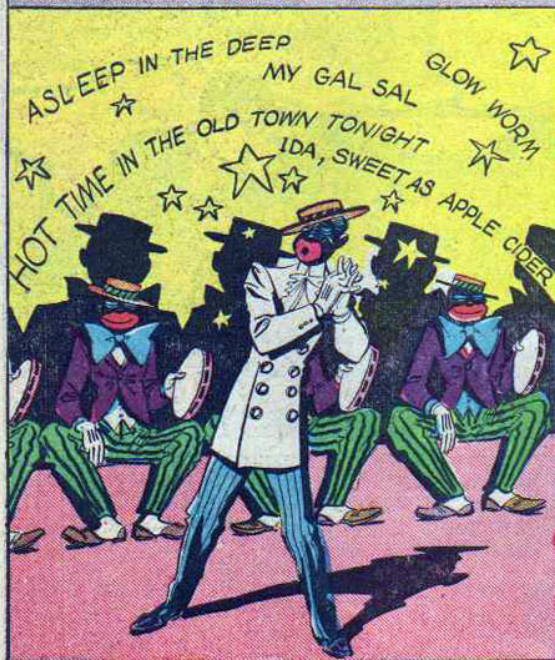
YOU WOULD NOT DARE INSULT ME IF MY BROTHER WERE HERE. MY MOTHER WAS A LADY!

WHAT A SONG THAT WOULD MAKE!



PICTURE NEWS

SUCCESS ASSURED BY THEIR TWO HITS, THEY GOT LARGER OFFICES—PLUGGING AND MINSTREL SHOWS SPREAD MARKS' SONGS NATIONALLY.



MARKS KNEW ALL THE GREAT MUSICAL FIGURES, SUCH AS IRVING BERLIN, JEROME KERN, AND OTHERS.

WELL, MR. COHAN, WE'LL TAKE IT. YOU GO ON WRITING SONGS LIKE THAT AND YOU'LL BE FAMOUS SOME DAY.

JUST CALL ME GEORGE.



PEOPLE WANTED COPIES OF THE HIT SONGS FOR THEIR HOMES.



EVENTUALLY MARKS GOT HIS OWN OFFICE BUILDING. HE STILL SOUGHT TALENT AT N.Y. ENTERTAINMENT SPOTS LIKE BUSTANOBY'S RESTAURANT WHEN HE ENCOUNTERED SIGMUND ROMBERG.

THIS TURKEY TROT IS ALL THE RAGE ----THINK YOU COULD WRITE ME SOME MUSIC FOR IT, SIGMUND?



MARKS SENT AGENTS TO SOUTH AMERICA, ACQUIRED A HUGE LIST OF LATIN NUMBERS, TANGOS, RUMBAS. HE WORKED TO THE DAY OF HIS RECENT DEATH AT 82, AFTER 51 YEARS OF SONG PUBLISHING, A MILLIONAIRE OF THE SONG BUSINESS.

THAT SONG SELLS MORE EVERY DAY.

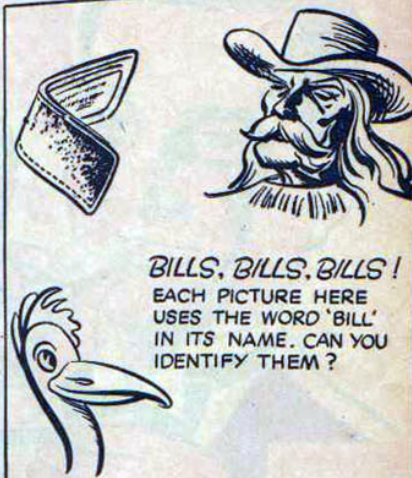


PICTURE PUZZLERS

SOME BRAIN TEASERS TO TEST YOUR WITS



THERE ARE QUITE A FEW THINGS WRONG OR OUT OF ORDER IN THIS DOMESTIC SCENE. TRY TO FIND THEM. YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO FIND AT LEAST 15.



BILLS, BILLS, BILLS!

EACH PICTURE HERE USES THE WORD 'BILL' IN ITS NAME. CAN YOU IDENTIFY THEM?



WHO IS THIS SWASHBUCKLING STAR OF ADVENTURE-FILLED MOVIES? HOLD THIS PAGE BEFORE A MIRROR AND HIS NAME WILL APPEAR.

Errol Flynn



ANSWER—OVER 17 MILLION MILES!

USING A PAPER ONE 1,000TH OF AN INCH THICK, THIS LITTLE MAN TORE IT IN HALF, TORE THE HALVES IN HALF, TORE THE RESULTING PIECES AGAIN, REPEATING THE PROCESS 50 TIMES. HOW HIGH A PILE WILL THE PAPER FINALLY MAKE?

IF YOU CAN CARRY A TUNE

YOU CAN PLAY THE GAHOON!



BOYS! GIRLS!

Play by "ear". Use the big dance orchestras for your accompaniment. Turn on the radio, or play a record on the "Vic", and you take the "lead" with your GAHOON. Get your friends interested and organize a GAHOON Band for school entertainments and party concerts. Or be the "hit" at parties with your Solo GAHOON. Easy to play, fun to play, and real music without study or reading notes. Get Dad or Mother to order GAHOONS for the whole family, and see how quick you'll be putting in the "hot licks" while the family plays the harmony. Any boy or girl ten years of age, or older, can learn to play the GAHOON in ten minutes or less.

Send your order today. Remember, you get your money back if you return the GAHOON in ten days.

PICK IT UP AND PLAY IT!

No study—no lessons—no musical education no reading of notes—no practice. Simply bend the mysterious stem and PLAY IT!

THE AMAZING GAHOON—the sensational new musical invention that nine out of ten people can play in 10 minutes. Gives two full octaves of rich, clear tone like an E-flat Saxophone. Genuine Sax mouthpiece—Genuine Sax reed. Built on the same principle as a Saxophone, EXCEPT, with the mysterious new simplified Principle. Instead of opening air ports, you merely bend the coiled-spring stem. This shortening or lengthening of the air column determines the tone, half-tone or quarter-tone. What a hit at parties, in school bands, army camps, in amateur or professional hill-billy and jug bands, in rhythm bands, or as accompaniment for singing. Plays any type of music from Bach to Carmichael. The more you play, the better you become. Play "hot, sweet," loud, soft, rumba, boogie-woogie or classical.

9 OUT OF 10
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IN 10
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A
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REAL
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